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A. M. THOMSON. Postmaster General General Post Office, Hongkong, 28th July, 1897. BOMBAY FIRE INSURANCE CO.

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Hongkong, 2nd August, 1897. HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO

STEAMBOAT CO., LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Cant., or \$1.20 per Share, Declared at the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of Shareholders held This Day, will be PAYABLE at the Honggong and Shanggal Banking Con-POBATION on and after TUESDAY, the 3rd August, 1897. SHAREHOLDERS are requested to apply THE Steamship to the Office of the Company for WAR.

By Order of the Board of Directors. PT. ARNOLD. Secretary Hougkong, 2nd August, 1897.



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Captain Roach, will be despatched for the above ports on WEDNESDAY, the 4th inst, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO., General Managers.

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of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 P.M. of the 4th inst. will be Incled at Consignees' risk and expense into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, at Winchai.

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MEDIATE delivery of their Goods from alongside. Such cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO., Hongkong, 2nd August, 1897.

Bills of Liading will be countersigned by

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IN Accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875 the Undermentioned Banks will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business TO-DAY (MONDAY), the 2nd inst. For the CHARTEEED BANK OF INDIA HONGKONG AND SHANGHAT BANK-AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong.

For the Hongkong & SHANGHAI BANKING TER OF SHARES of the CORPOBA-CORPORATION, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager

For the NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA. LIMITED. GEO. MUNRO. Chief Manager. For the MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA,

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Manager. For the BANE OF CHINA & JAPAN, LIMITED CHANTREY INCHBALD.

For the Yokohama Specie Hank, Limited. S. CHOH Hongkong, 27th July, 1897.

INSURANCE HOLIDAY. THE Undermentioned Insurances Offices wi be CLOSED for the Transaction of

Public Business TO-DAY (MONDAY), the JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Agents, CANTON INSUBANCE OFFICE, LD.

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Acting Secretary, Union Insurance Society of Can W H PERCEVAL.

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R. COHGHAVELE Secretary CRINA FIRE INSURANCE CO., LD.

W.H.T. DAVIS Acting Manager, THE STRAITS INSURANCE CO., LD. Hongkong, 27th July, 1897.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE

OF HONGHONG, No. 1,165. A NEMERGENCY MEETING of the held at the FREEMASONS HATE, TO-MOR-ROW, the 3rd instant, at 5 for 5.30 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially in-

Hougkong, 29th July, 1897.

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SHARDHOLDERS are remided that APPLICATIONS for Shares of the New Issue must be made not later than THIS DAY, the 2nd August. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., Goneral Managers. Hongkong, 23rd July, 1897.

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND, GODOWN COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. A N INTERIM DIVIDEND at the Rate of Two and a Haif per Cent. (One Dollar and Twenty-five Cents per Share) for the Six months ending 30th June, 1897, will be PAID to those Persons who are registered as SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company, on MONDAY, the 9th August, 1897. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 2nd to the 9th August, both days inclusive.

EDWARD OSBORNE Secretary. Hongkong, 23rd July, 1897.

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COM-PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS - FINAL CALL.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that the FINAL CALL of Two Dollars (32) por Sharo has been made, and is payable at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, No. 27, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, on 9th August, 1897. Shareholders are requested, when paying the above mentioned Call to send to the Acting Secretary their Provisional Share Cartificates. These will be retained, and Fully Paid no Scrip will be issued in lieu thereof in due course. By Order of the Board of Directors.

CHAS. F. HARTON. Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 6th July, 1837. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK-

ING CORPORATION.

OTICE is beroby given that the ORDIN-ARY HALF YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this CORPORA-TION will be held at the CITY HALL, Houg-king, on SATURDAY, the 14th day of ADGUST at NOON for the purpose of receivtogether with a Statement of account to 30th

By Order of the Court of Directors. T. JACKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 26th July, 1897.

ING CORPORATION.

Tron will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 31st JULY, to SATURDAY, the 14th day of August (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors. T. JACKSON. Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 26th July, 1897. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. THIR ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the COMPANY'S HOTEL OR SATURDAY, the 21st AUGUST, at Noon, for the Purpose of Receiving a Statement of Accounts of the Company to the 30th June, 1897, with the Report of the Directors, and to-disones any matters that may be competently. brought before the Meeting. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 7th to the 21st August, both days inclusive.
By Order of the Board. C. MOONEY.

Hongkeng, 30th July, 1897. HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS FINE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Oppings of the Company, No. 14. PRAYA CENTRAD, on MONDAY, the 23rd August, at 12 o'clook Noon for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts to the 30th

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to Brd Angust both days michaive.

By Order of the Board of Directors. THOS. I. ROSE, Scoretary. Hongkong, 3ist July, 1897.

THE DAIRY FARM CO., LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION.

THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that unless such of the SHAREHOLDERS in the (Old) debilitated. The price is but \$26.50 per one DAIRY FARM COMPANY, LIMITED, as have omitted to send in Application for the Shares to which they are entitled in the (New) DAIRY FARM COMPANY, LIMITED, under the agreemout dated 8th August, 1896, and made between the first named Company of the first part, myself of the second part, and the last named Company of the third part, as required by the notice given by me on the lat September last, apply for the same in the form prescribed by such notice on or before the 28th August

Proximo, I shall without further notice proceed to sell the said Shares so unapplied for, as provided by the said agreement.
Dated Hougkong, 31st July, 1897. W. HUTTON POTTS Liquidator of The Dairy Farm

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Aug. 1, Mitris Mary, Jap. str., 2.059, Ph. Going, Moji 27th July, General.—N. Y. Katsha. CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & CO., intended to be respectively used in respect of Aug. 1, PACTING, British etc., 1,100, Gyles, Cotton Piece Goods of all kinds belonging to Chinkiang 26th July, General.—BUTTER

can be seen on application at the Office of the Colonial Secretary for the Colony of Hong- Aug. 1, Wingsang, British str., 1.517, Sellar, kong or to the Undersigned. Canton 1st August, General JABDINE, Dated the 5th day of June, 1897. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF JAMES KENYON OF BURY IN THE COUNTY OF LANGASTER ENGLAND CARBYING ON BUSINESS AT BURY AFORESAID UNDER THE STYLE OF JAMES KENYON & SON AS A COTTON SPINNER & MANU-FACTURER FOR LEAVE TO RECISTED

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES KENYON of Bury aforesaid carrying May, 1897, applied to Ris Excellency the Aug. Harran, British str., 1,183, J. S. Roach, Governor of Hongkong for leave to register certain TRADE MARKS in the Register of tow 31st, General, Douglas LAPRAIR Trade Marks in the Office of the Colonial

or manufactured by the said JAMES KENYON Faceimiles of the said TRADE MARKS

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES ACTS 1862 TO 1890 IN THE MATTER OF THE NEW

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORA-

TION, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that a FINAL DIVIDEND in the Liquidation of the above-named Company is about to be declared and that all Creditors who have not already furnished particulars of their debte or claims are required on or before the Sist day of October, 1897, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to Thomas ABERCROMBIE WELFON of 19, Old Broad Street, in the City of London, the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or indefault thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 18th day of June. 1897.

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-M. B. KAISHA July 31, CHIYUEN, Chinese str., 1,174, C. R., Null, Canton 31st July, General, C. M. Aug. 1. Ask, Danish steamer, 654. H. Hygom, Haiphong 29th July, and Heihow 31st. General—A. R. MARTY.

Aug. 1. ARRATOON APCAR, British str., 1,392, K. H. Sundberg, Calcutta 15th July, Penang 23rd, and Singapore 26th, General. DAVID BASSOCN. SONS & Co. Ang. 1, Fushun, Chinese str., 1.504, W. H. Lunt, Shanghai 28th July, General.—C. M. S. N. Co.

Foothow 29th July, Amoy 30th, and Swatow 31st, General, Dovotas LAPRAIR

FIELD & SWIRE. Aug. 1. KWEIYANG, British str., 1,060, Outerbridge, Canton 1st Aug., General.-But-TERPIELD & SWIRE.

MATRESON & Co. CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MARTER'S OFFICE. 3lsr July. Chiquen, Chinese str., for Shanghai.

Dante, German str., for Saigon.

Hongkong, French str., for Haiphong.

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Triumph, German str., for Hoihow. DEPARTURES. July 31, TANCARVILLE, British str., for Pulo Sembilan. July 31. TORDENESOLD, Norwegian str., for

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July 31, Eusang, British etc., for Calcutts.
July 31, Tailes, German etc., for Lloilo.
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Aug. 1, BENLOMOND, British str., for Nagasaki. Aug. 1, CLARA, German str., for Haiphong. Aug. 1, FORMOSA, British str., for Swatow. Aug. 1, Hongkons, French str., for Haiphong. Aug. 1, TRIUMPH, German str., for Hollow.

PASSENGERS. Per Fushum, str., from Shanghai - Mr. A. F. Per Arratoon Apear, str., from Calcutta, &c.

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P.O. Bex. 20. Telephone No. 12. At Beauregani, London Mission, Mongkong, on Friday, 30th July, HELEN MORISON, wife of Rev. JOHN CHALMERS, M.A., Ll. D., aged 39 years.

HONGKONG, AUGUST 2nd, 1897.

In his report on the Blue Book for 1896 H.E. Sir WILLIAM ROBINSON takes an unnecessarily gloomy view of the trade of the year. On the whole 1896 was not -a bad year. In the absence of complete and accurate statistics of the trade of sarily founded largely on rumour and conjecture, and that His Excellency should have been misled is not, perhaps, under the circumstances, altogether surprising. views put forward in the report. As His E cellency says, there has been a decline in the imports into China through the Kowloon Customs station, as compared with those of 1895, of over Tls. 400,000, but it should also be mentioned that with the solitary exception of 1895 the returns first one was lost to all but a few in court as it admitted that he and another man were are the largest that have ever been shown since the opening of the station. Moreover the total foreign trade of China, with General's gown had slipped off his back - Mr. Robinson then complained that his which this colony is so intimutely associated was not only higher than in 1895, but the who is most punctilious in these matters. highest on record. Again, His Excellency, remarked, "Mr. Attorney, I do not see you." says " A noticeable feature of the year was "the marked displacement of Indian cotton Mr. Robinson immediately replied," My learned His Lordship thought that with this explana "yarns by the Japanese product in the "Chinese market." In that His Excellency has been most grossly misled. The annual meeting of the Bombay Millowner's Association was held on the 6th July, and the first is to be the new Consul for the U.S. at Hong- who represented him. He admitted that at the remark made by Sir Gronge Corron, the kong. It is generally understood in San Fran. Magistracy he said he did not know for whom Chairman, in his review of the year was this: - "At no time has there been a better is related, and that this reward is given the he received it for Yung Fat. Cheng On gave "demand for our yarns than during the past Nevada Senator in return for his support of him the name. "twelve months." And in the report of the Committee of the Association the following 1882, and was educated in the Genesee Weslepassage occurs :- The exports of country- yan Seminary at Lima and the Syracuse Uni-"made yarn to China and Japan have been the largest on record, exceeding last year City, he became proprietor of the Idaho States. of the day in the witness room !- We were "by 98,858 bales, or 25.71 per cent, while man, a paper published at Boise. He was both together, but we did not speak to each "they are over the largest previous year, pointed him Consul General at Singapore, and I suppose there was some guard over you. 11 1892, by 66,274 bales, or 16:27 per cent." | three years later he lilled a similar position at Turning to the Chinese Customs returns, we find that the import of Indian yarn in 1896 was 1,461,365 balcs of a value of Tis. 28,612,223 as against 1,057.047 bales of a value of Tls. 19,417,110 in 1895. His Excellency Mail.

to the unfavourable exchange. On this point the remarks of Sir George Corror are of special interest. Referring to the closing of the Mints, and the effect of that measure upon trade he said :- "Though "the mill industry has had to contend with "a double exchange, namely, in the relative "value of silver and the rupco and of the 'rupeeand sterling, yet our trade with China, "a purely silver-using country, steadily inmuch less to do with our exports than has the demand for our goods. John Chinaman to-day with exchange at 164 is as ready to pay his 100 dollars for a bale of 'yarn as he was when exchange stood at 200 and he paid 75 dollars. I do not mean "by this to say that fluctuations in ex-"change do not interfere at times with business, but what I do wish to main-"tain is that our exports are governed "more by what we have to give and "medium with which we adjust our ROBINSON'S report, we are next attracted by the remark that "Shipping employed in "Eastern waters shared correspondingly in " the general depression, freights being very " scarce and rates unremunerative." As to that, reference may be made to the reports of the various Steamship Companies, which are not uniformly of a nature calculated to be disagreeable to the shareholders, though some of them are no doubt unfavourable. Perhaps, however, the most remarkable and colony in 1896 was not unprofitable is to be The Purest Ingredients only are used and found in the readiness with which in the the utmost Care and Cleanliness exercised in early part of the present year 850,000 were subscribed for the Indian Famine Fund and a little later nearly \$100,000 for the Diamond Jubilee Fund. Those handsome

> worse year than 1896. The M. M. steamer Saghalien left Saigon on Saturday at 2 p.m. for the port.

amounts would not have been realised had

It is notified in the Gazette that Police Ser. geant P. McNab has been appointed an Inspector of Nuisances.

It is notified in the Gazette that in pursuance of instructions from the Secretary of state for the Colonies, H. E. the Governor has been pleased to recognise Herr Heinze as general representative of the Imperial German Consul at Hongkong in case of the absence or mability of the latter to perform his duties.

Wiring with regard to the wreck of the steamer Taihoku-maru, Mr. Kurino, the Japanese Minister in Paris, also accredited to the Court of Portugal, states that the steamer foundered off Lisbon as the result of a collision with a British merchant vessel. A Portuguese man-of-war went out to the rescue of the crew on the rapidly-sinking Japanese steamer. All the crew were saved and afterwards sent back to England.

The German military instructors at Woosung are to be transferred to Kiangning, on the Yangtze, in October next. It is expected that some difficulty will arise as between the officers GINGERADE | and the Chinese Government over the proposed until the conclusion of their term of service .-

> Mr. E. Georg, in his Weekly Share List dated 31st July says :- In the early part of the week under review the market remained almost lifeless, but during the last few days a little more business has been done. The high rate of exchange between this and Shanghai (to-day's rate for 3 d/s private paper on Shanghai being | THE CHARGE AGAINST INSPECTOR WITCHELD Tls. 752) enables our northern friends to unload, while on the other hand it prevents business to Shanghai, where, moreover, financial facilities have been severely taxed by the large sums sunk in Cotton Mills and Tobacco Companies. Here, we are in a similar position, owing to the large time dealings in Mining Stocks at high rates, which swallow up the margins of small operators.

It is with sincere regret that we have to announce the death of Mrs. Chalmers, the wife of the Rev. Dr. Chalmers, which occurred late on Mr. Francis. "Witness said that every five days Friday night, Mrs. Chalmers by her sweet he received \$5.50 from Cheung Hing Street womanliness and ever roady sympathy endeared | and \$17 from Wa Lane. The \$5.50 was paid herself to all who knew her. Hers was a to him by "Fat Child Chi," who told witness beautiful life, full of grace and beneficence, to hand the money to Cheng On. Sam Yeen and her death will be deeply mourned by paid the \$17. The money was paid in subsi a large circle of friends. The age of the diary coins. Of the 317, \$3.50 went to Cheng [1772 | deceased lady was sixty-nine and she had been | On himself, \$8 was for Yung Fat, who was married forty-three years, most of which time formerly a detective, and \$5.50 was for No. 12. had been spent in Canton and Hongkong. The Witness was paid the \$5.50 by "Fat Child funeral took place on Saturday afternoon, the Chi " and was told to hand the money to Cheng service being conducted by the Ret. T. W. On for Inspector No. 12. The payments com-Pearce. There was a large attendance and the monced on the 14th March, 1897, from Wa coffin was covered with beautiful wreaths sent Lane and on the 18th March, 1897, from by sympathising friends.

from our native correspondent at Peking, that tributed according to a list given to him by. the Consors have been lately turning their Sam Yeen: Witness was formerly in the Police attention to the doings of H. E. Tan Chung-lin, Force. He retired on a pension about six years Viceroy of the Two Kwang provinces, resulting, ago. He was now-in-custody under a benishfinally, in a denunciation by a Consor named ment secret. Cheng Sze-chan on the charge of sentlity, loss of will-power, and being made the easy victim of left the police he went to the country and re the port a commercial summary is neces- intriguing spirits and evil characters, who turned in April, 1894. He could find no ac-"demand, and extort bribes in the Viceroy's capation and so he went back to the country, name from the wealthy merchants and gentry of | but returned to Hongkong in December, 189; Canton and elsewhere." The Viceroy Tan's He started his present business in December. second son, an expectant prefect of Kiengel, now | 1896. During the interval between December. on a visit to his parent in Canton, is also included 1895, and December, 1896, he was engaged in the demunciatory memorial of the Censor. On some points, however, statistics are The Emperor has deputed the secret investigaavailable, and these do not support the tion into these charges to H.E. Heti Chenyi, the | He was not convicted in March, 1895, for lar Governor of Kwangtung .- N. C. Daily News.

> The trial of Inspector Witchell has so far was fined \$100. He had only been convicted resulted in two realty good jokes being mado, the perpetrator in each instance being Mr. E. Robinson, who is conducting the defence. The second one—the reply to Mr. Francis when that gentleman objected to his friend's mode of putting a question-has been published, but the then asked the witness about the matter and h was not clearly heard, and therefore it was charged with stealing two shirts and were sent missed out of our report. We now learn that to gool for aix weeks. In addition witness was what took place was this. The Attorney charged with assault. and fallen on to his chair and when he learned friend, a Queen's Counsel of this rose to examine a witness the Chief Justice. colony, had accused him of micropresenting The Attorney-General spologized and explained he obtained of the conviction paper he certainly that the gown had accidentally dropped off. did make a mistake. friend has lost his suit, my Lord." While the tion Mr. Robinson's honour was satisfied. fow who heard the joke laughed Mr. Robinson Mr. Robinson bowed to his Lordship's decision assisted the Attorney-General in regaining his and the case proceeded. lost "suit."

> Mr. Ronnsevelle Wildman, of San Francisco, fine of \$100 on the application of Mr. Dennya, cisco that Mr. Wildman was appointed through he received \$8. He was confused when he the influence of Senator Stewart, to whom he made that statement. He now admitted that the pending tariff measures. Mr. Rounsevelle Mr. Robinson-I suppose you have seen Wildman was borne at Batavia, New York, in Cheng On since you were at the Manager San versity. After a wide experience on the news papers of New York, Chicago, and Kansas recognized by President Harrison, who ap. other, Brevnen, Germany. He resigned to take the On told you the name of this man, or do you position of United States World's Fair Com recollect it?—Chang On told me and I now missioner for Borneo and the Straits Settle recollect it. ments at Chicago. At the conclusion of the Exposition he went to California and assumed

The steamer Chelydra from Calcutta and Straits left Singapore for this port on Soth July at 5 p.m.

The C. P. R. steamer Empress of Japan left Yokohama on Friday afternoon, the 30th instant, for Vancouver, B.C.

A telegram has been received at Tokyo from Formosa, stating that bubonic plague having almost disappeared in Formesa, the Medical creases, showing, I think, that exchange has Inspection Office was closed on the 16th July.

The appointment of Sergeant E. D. Sanders to be Captain of the "A" Machine Gun Company of the Hongkong Volunteer Corps, vice Captain C. Murray Adamson, resigned, is

It is notified in the Gazette that the Hon.

A.M. Thomson has been appointed Acting In-

spector of Schools and Scoretary to the Board of Examiners for a period of two calendar

months with offect from the 4th August. Mr. Christiansan, third engineer of the Chowchowfoo, which arrived at Nagasaki on "what other people require than by the 22nd July, committed saicide by jumping overboard. The deceased officer was only thirty-one years of age and unmarried, and had been in the "balancea" Returning to Sir WILLIAM service of the company for the last eight years. His loss is greatly regretted, not only by his brother officers but also by a large circle friends at Nagasaki, who feel deeply the sad occurrence, which terminated a very promising

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

career. - Nagasaki Daily News.

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FURTHER FIGHTING IN CHITRAL A fresh attack was made on the Malakand Camp on Tuesday and Wednesday, which was repulsed after hard fighting. The British loss was 13 killed and 43 wounded. RE-INFORCEMENTS FOR CRETE.

The first battalion of the Lancashire Regiment at Malta has been ordered to be readiness to proceed to Crote. THE JAMESON RAID.

Lord Lansdowne, replying to Lord Carrington, said that he regretted nothing in the report of the South Africa Committee would justify the restoration of their Commissions to H.M. Officers who were engaged in Jameson's raid. THE PEACE PROPOSALS.

The Ambassadors have drafted an indemnity clause in a manner satisfactory to Germany and it is expected that the terms of peace will be finally settled on Saturday. CRETE AND THE MIXED

OCCUPATION. Frequent fights are occurring between Tur kish and European soldiers at Canea. LONDON, 30th July.

PARLIAMENTARY. The House of Lords has passed the World man's Compensation and Accidents Bill

The European troops at Canes have been ordered to use their arms in the event of their

being insulted. MORE FIGHTING IN CHITRAL. _Desperate fighting at Malakand Camp continues, the attack being renewed every night.

A field force is now under orders for Malakand THE KING OF SIAM IN LONDON. The King of Siam has arrived in London and was escorted by the Life Guards to Buckingham

GREAT BRITAIN AND GERMANY. Great Britain has denounced the Commercial treaty with the German Zelverein which has been in force since 1865. The Treaty therefore expires in one year.

SUPREME COURT 31st July.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS BEFORE SIR JOHN CARRINGTON (CHIEF

The hearing was resumed of the charge of

accepting bribes brought against Job Witchell an Inspector in the Police Force. Hon. W. M. Goodman (Astorney-General) and Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C. (instructed by Mr. H. L. Dennys, Crown Solicitor), appeared for the Crown and the defendant was represented

by Mr. E. Robinson (instructed by Mr. G. C. C. Master). Tung Kum, master of a mercer's sloop at 187 Hollywood Road, was called and examined by

Choung Hing Street. Witness received altogether \$31.75 from Sam Yeen every day; that It appears from recent dispatches received amount included the \$17. The money was dis-

> Cross-examined by Mr. Robinson- After h assisting Sam Yeen in distributing "expenses," that is, he was engaged in gambling operations ceny and sentenced to six weeks' imprisonment He was convicted for committing perjuty, and

> The Attorney-General and Mr. Francis sair the conviction was for assault. Mr. Robinson had not correctly read the conviction. Mr. Robinson said be was quite right. He

matters to the Court Mr. Francis replied that in the hasty glance

In answer to further questions witness sai that the sentence was afterwards altered to a

Witness-I saw him vesterday before.

Where? In the witness room? You were both together for the greater par

His Lordship-Do I understand that Cheng In answer to further questions witness said he did not tell the Magistrate that he received

He stemined by Mr. Francis - He was not questioned at the Magistracy shout the Cheung

Hing Street gambling house.

His Lordship—Why didn't you mention it? Witness Because I had no direct dealings with the affairs and therefore I did not mention anything about that house. The money was simply handed to me and I was asked to DOSS IT OVER. When was the last payment you made to

Cheng On?-17th Jone last. Same Yeen, who was convicted of being the keeper of a gambling house at 2, Wa Lane and sentenced to nine months imprisonment, was then called. He said he had been connected with the house for five years. No. 3. East Street, was the outer office of 2, Wa Lane, and the money, jewellery, and accounts were kept there. There was only one gambling house in Wa Lane only one house in which gaming was actually carried on ... Gaming was sometimes carried on in No. 5. In reality there were two houses in which gaming was carried on, but both belonged to the same establishment. The playing was sometimes shifted to No. 2 Ng Kwai Fong, next to the Tam Fa Lau eating house. Gambling had been carried on in Nos. 2 and 5, Wa Lane, every day from the 2nd February this year to the 18th June. The hours were 6 p.m. to 12 p.m. Last year gambling was carried on for six months in broken periods. Witness then spoke to paying money to Tung Kum and to the conversation he had with Cheng On respecting No. 12's application for money. Witness told Cheng On that if No. 12 received 21 a day the recipiont must not chase and best witness' fokis. Witness consented to pay 31 a day and 10 cents for Cheng On. Witness paid altogether about \$150 a day for distribution during the fourth and fifth moons. The police who received the money were supposed not to take any notice of the gambling houses. Witness was then shown a list and he pointed out the entry "No. 12, 31.10, Cheng On's hand," That meant that the money was raid to Cheng On. There was also an edtry "\$23.55, paid to Tung Kum" and another "331.05 paid to Tong Kum." Another entry was " No. 12, 31, Cheng On's hand entered Killing hand, meaning that the money was paid to Tung Kum. The list was a memorandum showing the names of persons to whom

money was paid and the amount of each payment. Mr. Francis-I will now ask your Lordship for direction-in-reference to the entries in tho books, such as 43, 89, and 91, and Government House and other people. Does your Lordship think that I should ask questions about those entries or should the matter bedropped entirely? His Lordship-Mr. Robinson did ask a cortain number of questions about them, but I think we should keep ourselves free of them. Mr. Francis-I think it is only fair to the parties concerned that some questions should he

asked about them, but I am entirely in your Lordship's hands, 'The matter is not a necessary portion of our case, but I cannot say what my friend in his address to the jary will say. His Lordship-What I shall say to the jury with reference to this list is that we are not trying the question of the guilt or innocence of all the parties mentioned in this list as having received_sums_of_money, but the defence is entitled to look at this list and if they can, show there are absurd entries in it and also impossible things they could say that the list is therefore not

Mr. Francis-Then, my Lord, that lays the duty absolutely incumbent upon me to show that these entries are not absurd. His Lordship-On the face of it those entries may be true or untrue, but we are not trying

bona fide and the jury would be entitled to dis

that question. Mr. Francis If it is open to my friend to say that the list is entirely false because he thinks fit to say so, the prosecution is entitled to say that they are not absurdities. His Lordship As far as my opinion goes

he has not succeeded in showing that the entries are unreasonable and ought not to be there. Suppose the name of the Governor is there as receiving \$5, or the name of the General as receiving \$3, I think the gentlemen of the jury will say, "We cannot believe that it is so utterly impossible."

Mr. Francis-Very well, my Lord, Even the entries " Government House" so and so and " Ho Kai" so and so can be explained. Supnose the explanation is this, that it is simply on entry relating to a boy in employ at Govern ment House or to a servant in the employ Dr. Ho Kai. I submit I am entitled to get that explanation from the witness if the defence are allowed to make a point of those entries.

His Lordship—If they do make a point— Mr. Francis—If they do make point of it it will be too late for me to give the explanations. His Lordship We have no evidence that it is Dr. Ho. Kai. Mr. Francis-Questions were asked in reference to 89 and 91. I want to show that they

were in receipt of bribes and that there is no reason why the entries should be looked upon as abaurdities. His Lordship-It came out in evidence that they had been formerly in connection with the

Central District and therefore I shall put it to the jury that they might or might not have received bribes. But we are not trying that

The Attorney-General-I do not wish to throw dirt at anybody who is not here to answer, and your Lordship will notice that have not introduced a single name, with the exception of Witchell's, as being in receipt of bribes, as all cases of that bort will give very great pain and should be investigated very carefully. My learned friend introduced Nos. 89 and 91 with a view of showing that these persons were not at present in the gambling. districts but that they were stationed at other places. He could only possibly do that in order to say to the jury "There are two names of men who could not be in receipt of money; therefore do not believe the evidence." He therefore put. me to the rather painful task of asking whether both these men were not in charge of these gambling districts before they went to their present stations. I stopped there. If my learned friend says it is absolutely certain that it cannot be right. I say that such argument is fallacions and I have to show that the men did receive bribes. If my friend in his address to the jury opens an argument of that kind and says that there, I shall have to give the explanation. It is possible a boy at Government House might be receiving the money. That sort of thing is quite common and not absurd at all.

I do not want to go into the other cases in that list and try the list, as such a task would be andless and unfair. His Lordship-I have already stated that

there is an apparent and evident absurdity in this list, but we must not go into the truth or untruth of the entries, even supposing they are prima facie ressonable. The Attorney-General-I would ask your Lordship for permission to ask one question only. In a colony like this it is not right that

any dirt should be thrown at high quarters this matter. My friend is going to say the as they did not expect the books to be referred list is an absurdity-Mr. Robinson-The dirt will not stick. The Attorney-General-You would not wish to imply that the Governor has accepted money

Mr. Robinson-Oh, no. Mr. Francis (to Witness) - There is an entry Government House" there. Witness-That is a firm or head soldier. What does 3 mean P-30 cents. Who got the money ?- A lukong told me he

res on duty in the Ping Tong hong-A lukong got the money !- Yes... Can you tell me if the entry means the Governor sresidence or the General's residence i -I am not able to explain, but if you send for Ho Wai Pong he will tell you all about it (Loud Laughter.)

Who is Ho Wai Pong !- A lukong a

Government House His Lordship Why did you pay a lukong in thremploy of Government House 30 cents a day response I was afraid that this lukong might give some information to the Governor. Mr. Robinson (cross-examining)-How long is it since you commenced making the list onthis bit of paper? It looks very slean. Witness-I made entries on that piece c paper many years ago. I made the entries hit

by bit as people mine in for money.

How many years ?- About three,

Where did you keep the paper?-In th drawer of a cupboard. The colour of the lak is the same all through? -The entries were copied from another piece of paper about three years ago, that piece of paper being very dirty. There was a loss of capital this year !- You.

There was a quarrel !-- Yea. Amongst the partners !-- Yea.

And for the purpose of showing that you and was no swindling. Here are the accounts and they could see them.

Between ten and twenty watchmen were employed by the syndicate P-Yes. For the purpose of keeping a guard round the house and preventing the police from com ing in unexpectedly?-Yes. His Lordship-With regard to the entry \$1.10," you told us you put "\$1.10" after Cheng On told you he wanted to cents?-

trouble and that he was entitled to get somemaster about it.

the payment to Cheng On there was no more in the Court in a long case, and he

and that is why I came to the conclusion that mistresses marrying a year or two after they he came on behalf of No. 12. Did you go and see No. 12?-No. business and therefore we are afraid to see tion. In this, the Diamond Jubiles year of foreigners-Englishmen. There must be some | Her Majesty the Queen, they had all been

given him a cont. You have no writing from No. 12?-No. receive sums of money come and receive them member that at that time the education of girls with the recent commemoration of the Sixueth direct from you, or they paid throught some- was of an extremely jejune, unsatisfactory type. Year of Her Majesty's Reign.

money directly and some indirectly.

Is there not any book of daily payments or the old Universities, but the Universities had monthly payments which would show the sums | had not seen their way to go so far as that. A paid " Any cash books !- No, I have no entries in other books as to the daily payments. All the payments and names appear in this list. I have another paper like this with the names and

the payments/to each man. Like that ?- Not as full as this one, but there the money is paid and the names of these who soted as agents and so on. Did you take any part in the actual carry-

ing on of the gambling ?-No. I did not assist in carrying on the rambling. I was stationed at No. 3. East Street looking after the accounts. Did you know No. 12 yourself by sight?-I knew the defendant only by sight. an Inspector-a detective Inspector.

Did you know who he was !- He was du When Cheng On called the name No. 12 did you know which man that was !- Yes, I knew No. 12 because in the first and second moons he went to Wa Lane and beat fokis there,

Look at the defendant. Is that the In-When Cheng On called the name " No. 12 did you know it was the defendant in the dock? -Yes, I knew who No. 12 was directly Cheng. On told me about it because No. 12 had been to Wa Laue several times and my fokis told me

. Was that memorandum made merely for the purpose of your business P-Yes. And used in the course of your business P-Yes. Were all payments you had to make entered in that book !- All expenses I have just mentioned were entered in that book, but profit and loss are entered in other books. By whose orders was a name put in the list? Did you do it yourself or by order of your

master?-Not by order of my master. I made it myself and in case my master called for the accounts I could show them to him. You had his authority to put names that list?-I put all the names in this list to show my master in case he accused me of

swindling him. You had authority to put the names in the list?—Yes, because I looked after the accounts. When the raid was made were all the books be highly educated and get some of the benefits were some saved - Nothing caved; all the books and papers were taken possession of by the Police, but some other papers were burned before then. Does that list show the total daily; payments

to Tung Kum?-Yes. It does not show the names of the people whom he was to distribute the money? No the names appear in the other book. Is that the sort of secount, kept with Tung Kum ?-And the others as well What is the total daily payments ?-\$146.88 His Lordship-It is no wonder the business

did not pay. The Foreman of the jury-Does the \$146.88 paid daily appear in the general account on on ump sum or as so much money paid arroy? Witness-The daily payments of these ex penses do not appear in the ledger, but in this bundle of papera. How did you strike a balance !- I struck

balance by making out the accounts from these How did the proprietors know the amount when it is not shown in the books?-These bills have to be produced and shown to the masters. So you have no proper books kept for the Mr. Francis, by permission of his Lordship

asked a few questions in regard to the keeping

of the accounts and their Lordship said it would

be better if the Court interpreter examined the

Mr. Robinson said the Crown were not en titled to further time in this matter. They! June, and he submitted in a case of this sor they ought to have had every document translated for the use of both parties and the Court His Lordship said it appeared there was very little in the books relating to the defendant,

the Crown to the trouble and exponse of translating those books. Of course Mr. Robinson could also have access to the books. Mr. Robinson said his point was one of general procedure. The Crown ought to have referred o those documents before they came into court Mr. Francis said the books could not have been put in as evidence for the Crown at all Therefore the Crown had made no preparations.

and he thought it would not be desirable to put

The Attorney General intimated that the case for the Crown was practically finished upless the jury wished to ask more questions on the books. They had also the silk mercer in reserve to give

ovidence if called upon.

The Court had now set from 0 o'clock until 2.10 without an adjournment, and his Lordship said he had an engagement of a semi-public nature at four o'clock. If the jury wished he would resume the hearing about five o'clock if it was possible to finish the case that day, Mr. Robinson said he might have several witnesses or he might have only one to call;

that depended on aircumstances and his judgment at the time. His Lordship theroupon said the case could not be finished that afternoon and the Court adjourned until 10 a.m. to-morrow.

is said to have been from a cent to a cent and one half for each plant. In the experiments of the last three yerrs, tulips, According to a Hull journal, a great piece of lilacs, oto, etherized late in the fall and good luck has just fallen to the manager of the then placed in a hotherse developed much Bridlington branch of one of the banks in that will always be a source gratification to me, but more rapidly than usual, and had a pretty town. An elderly lady of great wealth was I am sure your Excellency will understand that

BULLLIUM PUBLIC SCHOOL THE CHIEF JUSTICE ON HIGHER EDUCATION

On Saturday afternoon Sir John Carrington Chief Justice) distributed the prizes to pupils attending the Belilics Public School, There was a large attendance of parents and friends. Dr. Bateaon Wright, in the absence of Mr. A. W. Brewin, Inspector of Schools, read the After presenting the prizes Sir John Car

Cheng On mentioned something about his rington said it was a great pleasure to him to be

present that day. He claimed a title to be there on two grounds. First of all he was by dis-You told us Cheng On suggested 10 cents position and up-bringing a great admirer of and you agreed. He did not ask me for 10 the fair sex (laughter) and secondly, he was conts; he simply mentioned that he was entitled by conviction a great believer in the benefits to receive something. I did not promise to of female education. He had the more pleagive him anything. I said I would see my sure in being there that day because last year he was to have been present, but unfortunately How could you tell that Cheng On really he was not well, whether that was dop to came on behalf of No. 12?-I say this because typhoon a night or two before he did not know; before any payment was made No. 12 went to This year, too, he was very nearly not Wa Lane and beat the fokis, but after making able to come because he was engaged to plead with the jury to let him off. After When he came to you you agreed at once to touching upon the history of the school girt him SI. How do you know he really came | since its foundation, to the great obligation the on behalf of No. 12?-Well, I said the proof is public of the colony owed to Mr. Belilios in evident because after Cheng On had been to my providing the school, to the way in which the place there was no more beating of my lokis, school was hampered in its early years by head

got but here, and to the efficient work accomplished by Mrs. Bateman, the present head Why didn't you ?- We carry on an illegal mistress, his Lordship spoke on female educaconnection in the matter, otherwise Chang On | taking stock of the results obtained during the would not have come and asked me about the Queen's reign, and he thought there could be matter. If Chang On had come for himself nothing in which more remarkable progress as the representative of the Queen in this and asked for the money I would not have had been attained during these sixty years than Colony, you request me, in my capacity of in the matter of female education. His Chairman, to bonvey to the Jubilee Committee memory, he was sorry to say, went back to an expression of your Excellency's high appre-Do any of the people whom you say more than thirty odd years and he could redication of their valuable services in connexion body else?-The majority of them are paid Now female education had broandened and I shall have great pleasure in making known Some of them directly ?- As far as Europeans that it was important that women should ing terms in which your Excellency is pleased were concerned they got their payments in have a liberal education. In most countries, to refer to the services of the Committee, and I directly. Some Chinese constables got their and more particularly in our own shall not fail to convey to the Honorary Treacountry, there were admirable schools surer and Honorary Secretary the special These two entries are the only entries in all for girls and colleges for women. Only thanks accorded to them. I have the henour diese books and papers referring to No. 12 !- quite recently, as his friend Dr. Wright to be, air, your most obedient Servans, The only entries baving reference to No. 12 of the one University, and Mr. Cobare in this paper, and not in the account books | bold, of the other University, knew, ladies had been endeavouring to get titles to degrees at

suggestion had been made that the best way to education to women was by having their own separate University for women, and, so far ashe could judge, that would be the result of the movement for the higher and better education of women. When Dr. Eitel wrote his report appear there the names of the parties to whom | in July, 1889, he seemed to have thought that the majority of the girls in the School would be Chinese girls, but son far as he (the speaker) could see, the percentage of Chinese girls was considerably less than the percentage of Eurasinot been realized, and he should like to know the reason why. Mrs. Bateman mentioned in her report for the year that the possible cause Did you know who No. 12 was?—He is was the disinclination of the Chinese to give occasion. Laccordingly desire to tender to you education to their girls. The piris who went my cordial thanks for your great assistance in through the school must do their best to spread securing that result .- I have the henour to be. the benefits of Western education amongst those sir, your most obedient servant. with whom they came into contact. After all

they knew very well that the women the

mother, was the spring and source of culture and refinement in the home, and they therefore locked to these girls, who would become heads of households, to do all in their power to keen alive that light they had received and spread it abroad as much as they could. In that way the Chiness gentlemen would come to see the benefits of Western culture and they would be more ready to send their wicle to school. He was very glad the other day to admit two Chinese gentlemen into practice as solicitors at the court, both of whom had been in England for some time, and who had been at a large public school Cheltenham College One of them had gone beyond the public school and had taken his degree at the University of Oxand mistors should remain ignorant of these servant idean. He put it to the Chinese gentlemen in the colony that if they wanted their sons to To. His Excellency Sir William Robinson, of Western civilization they must make up their minds that the women must also share in the same degree these benefits. He congratulated Mrs. Bateman on the large gatherng and the successful result of the examination: and he was quite sure all who were present were pleased to see the happy girls so picely dressed. He hoped those who had not go

hose who had got them would endeavour get better and higher prizes At the conclusion of his Lordship's address several pupils gave an enjoyable entertainment. The following is the prise-list Ist Class Composition, Eliza Moore, Arit metic, May Hunter; Grammar, Lizzie Olson Geography, Ethel Long History, Jone Quincey; Dictation, Eliza Moore, Reading : Ida Armstrong; Map Drawing, Madeline Quincey Attendance, Lizzie Olsen, Highest Marks, Eliza Moore, Needlework, Louisa Heang. 2nd Class Composition, Ella King Arit metio, Annie Parker: Grammar, Annie Parker: Geography, Ella King Map Drawing, Eliza Turner: History, Ellisa Turner: Dictation Rosie Kennett: Reading Rosie Kennett Needlework Annie Parker Attendance Rosia Kennett : Highest Marks Rosie Kennett. Srd. Class Composition, Daisy Mather Arithmetic Jenny Madar: Crammer, Letites King; Geography, Emma Legge; History, Letitla King; Dictation, Maude Graig; Read ing. Maude Craig : Needlework, Joherah Mehammed : Attendance, M. Craig, D. Mather; Righest Marks. Letitia King.

prizes would strive to get them next year, an

metic, Alice Lesbirel: Grammar, Kitty Abra | that the general arrangements in connexion ham; Geography, Rosetta Abwee; History, Lily with the commemoration of the Sixtieth Year King : Dictation, full marks all, Reading, of Her Majesty's Reign were regarded as activ-Hilda Lang, Needlework, Nellie Olson, Atten- factory donce, Kitty Abraham, Highest Marks, Hilds 5th Class Beading, Bessie Kennett, Writing,

Lily Heang Grammar L. Heang, H. Esmail Quincey : Dictation, Helena Esmail: Arithmetic, with your appared -I have the honour to be, Alics Vansione: Needlework, Lily Heang, At. tendance, Lily Heang, Bessie Kennett, Highest Marks. Bessie Repnett. 6th Class - Reading Georgina King, Writing, Minnie Sutherland : Arithmetic Proderic Hyndman; Dictation, G. King, R. Naubrump M. Sutherland, E. Rodger, I. Ramsay, O. Hyndman O. Humphreys, Full Marks Need lework, Annie Mann and E. Rodger: Highest Marks Ina Ramsay Attendance Octavius 7th Class - Reading, Hannah Rodger: Writ-

Lan, G. Young, J. Madar, C. Kis, M. Peter of my appreciation of the able assistance which, son, E. Parker, I. Norns, E. Hyndman, P. in your capacity of Chairman of the Jubiles Quincey, H. Rodger, full marks all. Diots. Committee, you afforded me as the representation, Ah Yuke, Chow Lan. J. Mader, B. Walker, M. Petersen, E. Parker, I. Norna, E. Hyndman, A. Neill, P. Quincey, E. Agaback, full marks all: Needlework, Ida (Norma: Attendance Eliz Hyndman, Patrick Quincey; Highest Marks, Ethel Parker; Reward for Diligence, Mary Davis. Infants, -Nanoy Sutherland, A. Venstone full marks all. Recitation -- Bessie Walker.

Drill - let Alice Lesbire 2nd Eitty Abraham 3rd, Elsie Lang. The Head Mistress begs to offer her most The use of other for forcing plants has given sincere thanks to the following gentlemen for Mr. Johannson, of the Agricultural High School their kind subscriptions to the Prise fund: at Copenhagen, results so decided as to suggest Hous. E. R. Bellios, J. J. Bell Irving, Dr. great possibilities for florists and market Ho Kai H E. Wodehouse, Messrs, Byramjee, gordeness. The plants are otherized by being Victor Debcon, H. L. Dennys, H. Dann, Fung placed for twenty-four to ninety-mx hours Wa-chim, D. Gillies, F. D. Goddard J. D. in a closed vessel filled with ether vapour. Humphrays, Ho Tang, Ho Amel, T Jackson, cylindrical glasses being used for small plants. Mowbray Northcote, A. Gomes, W. Tarn, Wy and dil-painted boxes lined with tin-foil for Ping, Lan Wal-ahun, W. Qainesy, Ho Fook. larger ones. The cost of etherizing lince Young. Weston, Koo Pal-shan, West Stud

colour and great durability. Little benefit was struck by his urbanity while visiting the sea- I was only too hoppy to bear a part in promothad from other applied before the middle of side for her health, and entrusted him with the ing the success of what you have aptly barned. Do you know if one of them went to My Plants are planned for this year and a study of long ago she died, and on the will being read it have the effect of varying and repeated doses of the war found that she had left \$30,000 to her commercial affairs. Not in an agement of her commercial affairs. Not in an age age and it is truly historic and mean of the second as a study of her commercial affairs. Not in an age age and it is a study of her commercial affairs. Not in an age age and it is a study of her commercial affairs. Not in an age age affairs. The second as a study of her commercial affairs. Not in an age age affairs and a study of her commercial affairs. Not in an age age affairs and a study of her commercial affairs. Not in an age age affairs and a study of her commercial affairs. Not in an age age affairs and a study of her commercial affairs. Not in an age age affairs and a study of her commercial affairs. Not in an age age affairs and a study of her commercial affairs. Not in an age age affairs and a study of her commercial affairs and a study of her commercial affairs. The second as a study of her commercial affairs and a study of her commercial affairs. The second as a study of her commercial affairs and a is editorship of the Overland Monthly —Japan some money from "Fat Child Chi." He did for the purpose of showing partners how the inflammable great care must be taken to seep birt for in many London banks arbanity is To His Excellency Sir William Robinson, it away from lighted matches or any flame.

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The following correspondence is published a the Conette .--GOVERNOR TO CHAIRMAN, JUBILEE

OGMMITTEE.

Government House. Hongkong, 14th July, 1897 Sir -- As the representative of the Queen in this Colony, I have the honour to request you. your capacity of Chairman; to convey to the Jubilee Committee an expression of my high appreciation of their valuable services in connexion with the recent commemoration of the Sixtleth Year of Her Majesty's Reign. The befitting manner in which the historic and memorable occason was celebrated in this Colony reflects the greatest credit on the Committee generally and merits my grateful acknowledgments To the Chairman, the Honorary Treasurer, and the Honorary Scoretary, upon whom the greater share of responsibility and work must necessarily have fallen my special thanks are due, and it is my inten-tion to convey an expression of my gratitude to each of those officers individually .- I have the honour to be sir your most obedient

WILLIAM ROBINSON. The Hon. C., P. Chater, C.M.G., Chairman

Jubiles Committee. CHATRMAN, JUBILEE COMMITTEE, TO

GOVERNOR. Hongkong, 20th July, 1807 ceipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in which

To His Excellency Six William Robinson G.C.M.G. Governor, &c.

OVERNOR TO HON, TREASURER JUBILER

COMMUTTEE Government House Hongkoug, 14th July, 1897. Six.-As the representative of the Queen in this colony. I desire to convey to you my hearty acknowledgment of the valuable services rendered by you, as Honorary Treasurer of the Jubiles Committee, in connexion with the recent celebrations in Her Majesty's honour. The generous response of the community to your appeal on behalf of the Committee is a gratifying indication of the lovalty of this colony, and enabled the commemoration of the sixtieth year of Her Mejesty's reign to be oblebrated in a manner worthy of the great

WILLIAM BOBINSON. Jackson, Esq., Hop. Tressurer, Jubilee Committee.

TREASURER, DBILEE COMMITTEE, TO Hongkong and Shanghai Banking

Corporation. Hongkong, 15th July, 1897. Sir.—I beg to acknowledge your Excellency's despatch of yesterday's date, in which you thank me for the services I have had the honour of rendering as Honorary Treasurer of

I would wish to point out that in the collection of funds I was ably assisted by the Chairman. the Honographe C.P. Chater, Mr. H. N. Mody. ford. He thought that was a very good example and Fung Whe Chuen; these gentlemen lighto follow, and if the men followed that example | tend myduties very considerably. I would also -and a number of them did so by going to like to place on record the very kindly recep-Queen's College-and getting on English tion we met with at very house we called at, education there he did not see why the and the vory hearty manner in which all classes girls should not do the same, because Chinese of the community subscribed towards celebragentlemen must bear in mind that as their tipg the Sixtieth Anniversary of Her Most sons become imbued with Western ideas Gracious Majesty's Reign -I have the honour they would not be satisfied that their mothers to be your excellency's most obedient, humble

GOVERNOR TO HON. SECRETARY, JUBILEY COMMITTEE. Government House, Hangkong, 14th July, 1897. Sir. - I have the honour, as the representative

of the Queen in this Colony to convey to you so expression of my appreciation of your servides, as Honorary Sepretary of the Jubilee Committee in connexion with the commemoration of the Sixtieth Year of Her Mejesty's Reign.
The excellence of the general arrangements. for which you must necessarily have been in a great measure responsible and lowards which your pravious experience as Honorary Secre-

tary in the memorable year of 1887 doubtless argely contributed, was worthy of the great ecesson and tended to ensure the successful selebration of the unique event. I accordingly desire to convey to you my grateful thanks for the manner in which you discharged your onerous duties. I have the honour to be, sir, your most obedient servant,

WILLIAM ROBINSON, The Honourable J. H. Stewart Lookhart. Hon. Secretary, Jubileo Committee.

BON. SECRETARY JUBILLE COMMITTEE. TO GOVERNOR. Hongkong 16th July, 1897. Sir. I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Excellency's letter No. 98/G. of

With respect to my share in carrying out those arrangements. I was very glad to be able to render assistance on such a memorable and adsploious occasion, and I am much gratified Quincey, B. Kennett; Geography, Cecilis | to find that any help I may have given has met sir your Excellency a most obedient servant. J. H. STEWART LOCKHART. Honorary Secretary, Jubilee Committee.

Excellency Six William - Robinson CMG GOVERNOR TO CHAIRMAN, JUBILEE COMMITTEE.

Government House, Hongkong, 14th July, 1897. Sir.—I desire to convey to you an expression tive of the Queen, on the historic and memorable cocasion of the celebration of the sixtieth year of Her Majesty's Reign. Liave requested you in a separate letter to

convey my grateful soknowledgments to the Jubileo Committee, and to you as Obstrmen of that Committee and as such mainly responsible for the success of the recent calebrations in Mer Majesty's bonour, I desire to tender my special thanks I have the honour to be Sir, vour most obedient servent. WILLIAM ROBINSON GOVERNOR. The Honourable C. P. Chater, C.M.G., Chair-

man. Publice Committee. UHAIRMAN JUBILEE COMMITTEE, TO GOVERNOR. Hongkong, 20th July, 1897. Sir. I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 14th instant, con-

vering your appreciation of the excistance rendered by me to your Excellency in my capacity of Chairman of the Jubilee Committee on the occusion of the celebration of the sixtleth year of the Reign of Her Most Gracious The kind expressions coatsiged in your letter

The half yearly meeting of the shareholders Avenue hotel to-night to attend the meeting of HIWO ROOMS with bathroom and servants ANCE COMPANY EXCHANGE the 31st July, at 2 p.m., and may be expented in the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steam- the directors of the Pittaburg, Fort Wayne quarters in WYNDHAM STREET. here on or about Tuesday, the 3rd instant. ON LONDON .--ESTABLISHED A.D. 1824. boat Company, Limited, was held on Saturday and Chicago railroad. He said: Telegraphic Transfer This Pucket brings roplies to letters despatched The Hawaiian treaty will not be taken up Capital Bank Bills on demand at noon at the Company's offices, Hon. E. R. from Hengkong on 26th May. RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPTORS \$10400,000 Care of Office of this Paper. TOTAL FUNDS AND SECURITY £2,480,053 by the senate at the present session. Bank Bills at 30 days' sight 1/1 Belilios presided and there were also present-THE AMERICAN MAIL Hon. J. J. Bell Irving, Messra. F. A. Gomes, doubtless a majority for confirmation, but I do NET ANNUAL FIEB PREMIA £ 757,478 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ... 1/11-Hongkong, 26th July, 1897. The O. & O. steamer Gaelic, with the American COURT OF DIRECTORS N. A. Siebs (Directors), T. Arnold (Secretary), not know if the necessary two-thirds vote can Credits, at 4 months eight 1/11 mail, of the 7th July, left Yokonama on the Sr. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq.—Chairman. Doonmentary Hills, 4months' sight 1/11 A. A. da Crnez, Cant. A. Tillett, Mosses. E. J. be obtained. The treaty, however, is not essen-TU LET. Having been appointed Agents of the above 27th July and may be expected here on or Hon. J. J. Bell-Invens Deputy Chairman. C. Beurmann, Esq. A. J. Raymond, Esq. Company we are prepared to accopt EUROPEAN Moses, F. Henderson, W. S. Bailey, J. H. Cox, tial for annexation. The islands may be anabout Wednesday the 4th instant. ON PARIS. WELLING HOUSES-C. Beurmann Eeq. Bank Bills, on domand 241 Credits, at 4 months eight. 245 The P. M. steamer City of Peking with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Yokohams, Inland Ses, Kobe, Nagasasi, and nexed by an enactment of congress as Taxas and Chinese Rieks at current rates. Q. D. Böning, Faq. HOUSES in RIPON TERRACE. R. L. Richardson, Lag. The SECRETARY read the notice calling the was admitted to the Union. HOLLIDAY, WINE & CO., G. B. Dodwell, Eeq. R. Shewai, Eng GODOWNS in BLUE BUILDINGS. Referring to Japan's protest he said: ON GREMANY ---N. A. Sieha Eso K. M. Gray, Esq. No. 29 BLGIN STREET. On domand 196 "I think Japan makes a mistake. Annexation Hongkong 9th January, 1896. Shanghai on the 17th July. David Gubbsy, Esq. Gerald Slade, Erq. The CHAIRMAN-Gentlemen, the Report and FLOORS in STAUNTON and ELSIS ON NEW YORK .-Accounts having been in your hands for several would work no detriment to Japanese interests. THE CANADIAN MAIL. CHIEF MANAGER days, I propose that, as usual, they be taken as The exclusion laws of Hawaii are much worse SUN INSURANCE OFFICE, LONDON read. Your Directors are pleased to be again than ours. We have had no trouble with Japan STREETS. The C. P. R. steamer Empress of China Hongkong-T. Jackson, Esq. arrived at Nagasaki on Thursday, the 29th July. MANAGER: at 3 p.m., and left at 4 a.m., on Friday, the Suth able to come before you with a satisfactory over this matter." Shanghai-J. P. WADE GAED'NER, ERQ THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-FOUNDED 1710. ON BOMBAY. report for the half-year. There is nothing of Mr. Sherman was much more reticent on the LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK-MENT & AGENCY CO. LD. The Undersigned, having been appointed especial interest for me to comment upon in subject of Cuban annexation. All he would say Hongkong, 23rd July, 1897. ING COMPANY, LIMITED. THE INDIAN MAIL. AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared The steamer Chelydra, from Calcutta and connection with the working we have been was: ON CALGUTTA. to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current TO BE LET. doing a good, steady business, and the result ad- . "There are many senators opposed to the Straits, left Singapore for this port on the HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWING. mits of the payment of the usual half-yearly annexation of Cubs who favour annexing On Current Account at the rate of 2 per Cont. 30th instant, at 5 p.m. STEMBBEN & CO., dividend of 8 per cent, leaving some \$30,000 to Hawaii. per Annum on the daily balance. ON SHANGHAL .-SIX ROOMED SEMI-DETACHED MERCHANT STEAMERS. THE NEW U. S. CONSULGENERAL FOR ON FIXED DEPOSITS. The N. P. steamer Victoria, solled from be carried forward to next half-your's account. A HOUSE with usual servants' quarters Hongkong, 16th May, 1892 For 3 months, 21 per Cent. per Annum. That long-looked-for event, the opening of the Tacoma. Wn. for this port, via Japan and SHANGHAI. and a one storoyed building adjoining suitable For 6 months, 31 per Cent. per Annum. Shanghai on the 26th July. ON YOKOHAMA .--Washington, 29th June. West River, has at length taken place, and, as AACHEN AND MUNICH FIRE INSURfor Gymnasium, Stables, etc. For 12 months, 4 per Cent, per Annum. The C. P. chartered steamer Hupeh, arrived at Charges bave been made against John Good. you will have observed by the report, your ANCE CO. OF AIX-LA-CHAPELLE. "EASTLEY" (with possession on 1st Sep-Yokohama at 10.80 a.m. on the 26th July. Directors, jointly with other local Companies, now, of Minnesota, nominated consul general T. JACKSON. ON MANTIA. On demand 1 % pm. tember). DETACHED HOUSE, with to Shanghai. The committee on commerce, to The N. P. steamer Taconia, arrived at Yokoat once commenced operations in the re-Chief Manager. THE Undersigned, having been appointed gion. The service, however, had been in which the nomination was referred, will hear hama from Tacoms. Wn. on the 23rd July. Hongkong, 10th April, 1897. Rooms, Conservatory, and Tennis Lawn. ON SINGAPORE. AGENTS for the above Company, are The C. Mutual steamer Copack, from Glasoperation for too short a time to affect proofs in support of the charges to-morrow prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA gow, and Liverpool. passed the Cauni on the 13th July, and may be considered due at Singathe result of the past half-year's working to night. GOLD LEAR, 100 fine, per tael53.50 at Current Rates. HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE any great extent one way or the other. The LIMITED. REUTER, BROCKELMANN & CO. TO FIGHT AMERICA. value of the trade will shew itself better at the CO., LIMITED. pore on or about the 2nd instant. New York, 29th June. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL£1,000,000. The P. & O. steamer Hydropes left Bombay end of the current half-year. Meanwhile, I Hongkong, 28th July, 1897. A dispatch to the Herald from Madrid says JOINT STOCK SHARES. Hongkong, 21st April, 1897: for this port on the 14th July. On account of Senor Silva's recent bellicose cantion shareholders not to expect too much in. PAID UP. QUOTATIONS. TO LET. COMPANY. the way of increase of revenue from this source The Austrain Lloyd's steamer Maria Valerie, speech and constant news of Spenish defeats NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE HEAD OFFICE-Hongsong. loft Singapore for this port on the 26th July. for some time to come. New trades are not from Havana province, a feeling is reviving COMPANY OF HAMBURG. £5 188 1/2 Hongkong & S'hai ... TACOMEB, near the L. R. C. The D. D. R. steamer Aglaia, from Hambuilt up in a day and this one forms no excephere in favour of war with the United States. China & Japan, pri COURT OF DIRECTORS. burg, left Singapore for this port on the 27th IVE WESTBOURNE VILLA NORTH, tion to the rule. That the trade will ultimately Several newspapers publish exciting editorials against the United States. The Undersigned AGENTS of the above £2 continal Do. ordinary CHOWTUNG SEARO, Fee. July, and may be expected here on or the about prove remunerative your Directors have no Company are PREPARED TO ACCEPT First D. GILLIES, Esq. BONHAM ROAD Do. deferred £1 £5 Class Foreign and Chinese Risks at Current H. STOLTERFOUT, Esq. KWAN HOL CHARN, ESG. "WESTWARD HO" (late Shirley) BONHAM doubt, but there are still many difficulties to be the 2nd instant. Natl. Bank of China overcome, and in these early days we do not CHAN . IT SHAN, Esq. ROAD. £8 \$22.76, eales B/Shares Chief Manager. SHIPPING REPORTS. look for much more than the covering of SIEMSSEN & CO. Foun. Shares. PASSED THE CANAT. GRO. W. F. PLATFAIR. LINSTEAD & DAVIS: expenses. You will have noticed that £1 \$9, sellere A Bell's Ashestos E. A.... Hongkong, 29th May, 1895. Outwarp-6th July-Danfa, we have invested in some property at the The British steamer Pacting, from Chinkiang Hongkoog, 2nd June, 1897. Campbell, Moore & Co. dleham. 9th July-Melponend, _... Interest for 12 Months Fixed 5 % new treaty ports. Although there was no 26th July, had fine weather throughout, with TRANSATIANTICFIEEINSURANCE Carmichael & Co. St. Mary. 13th July-Lombard, Oakbrangls, TO LET. China Sugar \$100 \$1434, buyers immediate necessity for this, it was thought moderate easterly swell to Lammocks; thence to Tekoa. 16th July-Candia, Patroclus. 20th COMPANY OF HAMBURG. Hongkong, 17th November, 1893 Dairy Farm Co..... desirable, in view of future contingencies, to port rainy weather and smooth sea, noquire water frontage at these places while The British steamer Arrateon Apear, from July-Glenfarg, Maria Rickmers, 23rd July NTO. 6. PRAYA CENTRAL-ROOMS on the Ewo Cotton The Undersigned, having been appointed THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA -Erato, Ivim, Japan, Laos, St. Andrews. SECOND FLOOR Suitable for Offices \$25 \$28 75, sellersland was still cheep. The amount invested is Calcutta 15th July, Penang 23rd, and Singapore Tenwick & Co., Geo.... 27th July-Benlawers, Kreimhild, Lochtay, AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared LIMITED. or Residence. Green Island Courat... small and the property is even now, worth 26th, experienced strong mensoon with heavy to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current St. Ninion. 30th July-Dardanus, Laurel. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO. \$50 \$33, buyers £10 \$110, buyers H. & C. Bakery more than it cost, so your directors trust that sea to Straits; theuce fine weather throughout, Branch, Bengloe. [1506 | Hongkong & C. Gas Hongtong, 27th July, 1897. their action in this matter will meet with your with moderate S.W. winds and sea to Paracels; approval. I may mention that the two small from thence to Gap Rock moderate southerly SIEMSSEN & CO., HOMEWARD-23rd July-Natal, Sikh. 27th SUBSCRIEED£1,125,000 Hongkong Electric ... TO LET. July-Wiysses, Wally. 30th July-Alad-H. H. L. Tramways \$100 \$114, sellers [17] PAID UP£ 562,500 boats recently built for us by the Dock Com- winds and sea. From Gap Rock to port dirty Hongkong, 16th November, 1872 Hengkong Hotel \$50 \\$50, sellors dina, Elizabeth Rickmers. pany have proved themselves to be well adapted thick weather with heavy rain. PAVENSHILL, West, and "ERNS-FOOT." Immediate possession. \$25 \$118, ex div. LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED. THENIX FIRE OFFICE. for the West River trade as it is just now. The British steamer Hailan, from Foodhow \$50 \$664 Ultimately, to doubt much larger steamers will 29th July, Amoy 30th, and Swatow 31st, had \$50 \$171, sellers POST-OFFICE NOTICES. Hongkong Rope..... INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at Apply to The Undersigned are now prepared to be required, but these boats seem to be just moderate S.W. breeze and fine clear weather to H. & W. Dock \$125 240 p. ct. prem,= VICTOR H. DEACON. GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily balance. what was wanted to begin the trade with Amoy. From Amoy to Swatow moderate S.W. [\$425, sellers naurances -The authorised List of Mails issued in Hongkong, 28th April, 1897. \$50 \$180, sellers against FIRE at Current Rates. OR FIXED DEPOSITS :--Canton They are running regularly between Canton breeze and fine clear weather. From Swatow connection with this paper is the one published DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO., and Wuchau, and two boats of somewhat similar to port moderate S.W. breeze with heavy squalls. China Fire For 12 months TO LET. twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected \$25 \$774, buyers Agents for the Phonix-Fire Office. capacity have been chartered for the run be In Foothow-Stre Fooksang and Cam. In China Traders' to a much later hour than that given below. Hongkong Pire : 50 2860, sellers tween Hongkong and Wuchau. Owing to Swatow Str. Gleneck. Hongkong, 17th August, 1887. SIX-ROOMED HOUSE, No. 20, Caine 21% £25 Tis. 1874 the absence of any arrangement for the COTTISH METROPOLITAN J. THURBURN. \$20 \$172, sales & sellers Straits collection of Customs dues at Kong Moon, an PRAK DELIVERY closes at Post Oute at EXPORT CARGO. Apply to-\$50 -\$2:0, buyers ASSURANCE CO. 11.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. or in Letter Boxes in the Manager, Hongkong. attempt made by the Company to establish a re- The P to teamer Afirmore, sailed on the PROCURATION DES \$60 DIOTA A abgtaza Cars by 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams. Letter gular service between Macso and Samshui pro-Hongkong, 15th February, 1897. 29th July. For Glasgow :- 1 case cigars from The combined ACCIDENT and LIFE MISSIONS ETRANGERES. and and Building-Boxes at Peak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. ved a failure, and after aix weeks running your Manila. For Amsterdam -1 case silk and 1 \$50 \$75, ex div. sellers Hongkong, 3rd May, 1897. PARTE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA POLICY is the MOST ADVANTAGEOUS H. Land Investment. Directors reluctantly withdrew the boat, being case clothes For Menchester :- 9 bales waste Humphreys Estate.... Kowloon Land & B. \$10 \$94, sellers AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA form of INSURANCE. convinced that there was no chance of the line silk. For London -- l case eigers from Manila. TO LET. \$30 :191, seilers A MAIL WILL GLOSE. A yearly premium of £28 2s. (age 30) secures the following: proving remunerative until this question of the I case feathers, 25 bales raw silks, 2 cases Indian For Tientsin.-Per Kweiyang, to-day, the \$40 \$224, sellers West Point Building INCORPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER, 1853. collection of duty had been solved. Turning 66 REEN MOUNT," CAINE ROAD. ink, 2 cases private effects, 2 cases blackwood-\$100 \$474 Eales Luzon Sugar 2nd instant, at 9.00 A.M. £2,000 in case of death by accident. HEAD OFFICE, LONDON. now to our accounts, the increase in the item For Singapore.--Per Glangarry, to-day, the ware, 3 cases silver ware, 16 ca ses silk piece Mining— Charbonnisges £1,000 in case of natural death. "wharves, &c. "is represented by the amount expended on our new wharf at the end of Wing goods, 791 boxes tea (16,611 lbs.). For CAPITAL PAID-UP...... \$800,000 2nd instant, at 9:00 A.M. £1,000 in case of permanent total disable-GILMAN & CO., \$5 \$ 7d. sellers Great E. & C'donian Gibraltar -1 case ouries and 1 cass silk For Shanghai.-Por Chiyuen, to-day, the LESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREment by accident. \$24 \$2.00. ral. & sellers Lok Street and the cost of hulks for uso at Wu. piece goods. For France:—583 bales raw silk, 140 boxes tes, 25 packages gall nuts and 4 Agents. HOLDERS £800,000 2nd instant, at 9.00 A.M. #500 in case of partial total disablement by chau and Samshui. The new sniling lighter 30 \$2, buyers 31 \$1.70, sales disellers Hongkoug, 27th May, 1897. For Macao.—Per Heungshan, to:day, the 2nd mentioned at our last meeting has been com-RESERVE FUND..... New Balmoral cases silk piece goods. For Milan: -73 bales accident. instant, at 9.00 A.M. -TO-LET-#6 per week in case of temporary disable-25 E . 30 Eules Do. Preference... For Canton .- Per Falshan, to-day, the 2nd INTEREST allowed on Current Assount at \$5 \$20, sellers Oliver's Mines, A.... craft for many years to came. Share investment by accident. instant, at 9.00 A.M. the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily balances \$24 \$5.75, sal. & buyers Accidents insured against for £4 and £2 THOUSES in CASTLE ROAD. ments remain as valued in the previous half-For Singapore, Colombo and Bombay.-Per On Fixed Deposits for 12 months ... 4 per cent. \$4 & 6.70, buyers CUTLER, PALMER per annum (£1,000 in case of death by weekly year's accounts. A readjustment of values Milke Maru, to morrow, the 8rd instant, at 6 ROOMED HOUSE, HIGH STREET. -Do. (Preference). \$1. \$2.15 will take place at the end of the year when payments in case of injury.) & CO.'S 3s. 10d. \$ 234, sales For further Particulars apply to J. Y. V. VERNON, if present rates be maintained, there should be For Saigon,-Per Wucton, to-morrow, the New Amoy Dock \$10 \$19, sollars SPANISH PROCURATION. T. H. WHITEHEAD. a substantial addition to the credit of the Sed-instant, at 11.30 a.M. Hongkong, 28th July, 1897. PRICE \$10.00 PER DOZEN Investment Fluctuation Account. You will Manager, Hongkoug. For Swatow, Amoy and Foocbow.-Per Chum and Manila .. \$50 \$78, sollers 1420 have observed that the item "Property fore-Hongkong, 8th June, 1896. Hongkong, 3rd June, 1897. Haitan, to-morrow, the 3rd inst., at 11.50 A.M. £5 12 10s. TO LET. China Mutual Ord closed" again appears in our balance sheet, but no loss in that direction is anticipated, and NET £10 £7, buyers \$50 c66, sales & buyers For Singapore. - Per Choy Wo, to morrow. Do Pref. NYORTH BRITISH AND MERCAN-HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK. AT MOUNT GOUGH, THE PEAK. Douglas S. S. Co. the 3rd instant., at 4.30 P.M. TILE INSURANCE COMPANY. meanwhile the rents yield a fair interest on the \$15 | 5344, buyers For Wuchow .- Per Wingtong, to-morrow, H., Canton and M., HHE Business of the above Bank is conducted amount invested. The amount due from under-Indo-China S. N. .. £10 5504, buyers TWO SEMI-DETACHED HOUSES the Srdinstant, at 5.00 P.M. TOTAL FUNDS AT 31ST DECEMBER. by the HONGKONG AND SHANG-\$374 \$-149, sales writers on account of the Heungshan average Wanchai Wareh'se Co. For Singapore. Per Della, to-morrow, the HAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules 1896, £12,954,532 0s. Od. Watson & Co., A. S. ... \$10 | \$12.60 J. V. Y. VERNON, Broker. of Selected claim having appeared in two successive 3rd instant, at 5.00 P.M. ONE BUNGALOW. balance sheets, I may mention that the delay may be obtained on application. For Straits and Bombay.-Per Bisango, on Distillations of the AUTHORISED CAPITAL £3,000,000 £ 's. d. INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31 has arison from the fact that the average THESE PREMISES are situate upon Wednesday, the 4th instant, at 10.00 L.M. Finest Scotch Whiskies SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL 2,750,000 PER CENT. per sunum. adjusters had to write out for some additional For Kobe, Yokohama and Seattle.-Per MOUNT Govers, and are about 8 minutes. New Malwa (this year's)\$780 with all'ance of 2 ctv's. Depositors may transfer at their option information before they could proceed with the statement. We shall probably hear of walk from the Tramway Station at Plantation New Malwa (last year's) \$300 0 to 11 Road. Old Malwa (2/5 years)...\$820 0 to 12. Ka joshima Maru, on Thursday, the 12th inst., belances of \$100 or more to the Hongkong and Apply to 2.660,850 12 0 II. FIRE FUNDS The Undersigned having been appointed SHANGHAI BANK to be placed on FIXED Road. a 1 0.00 A.M. SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong. the settlement of this claim in a mail or two. The BUILDINGS are not yet quite com- Older Maiwa (6/10 y're) .. to 2 = For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama.-Per AGENTS for the above Company are pre-DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum. The amount expended on repairs has been some-Verong, on Friday, the 13th inst., at 11.30 A.M. CUTLER, DALMER & Co., pared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at For the Honghong and Shanghal what preater than was auticipated at our last BANKING CORPORATION, meeting; the outlay has been principally by Current Rates. the Premises will be let on Lesse for terms of Persian, Persian,\$510 to \$610 MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. WINE SHIPPERS SINCE 1815, two rather expensive jobs—new plates for the bull of the Honom and the same for the deck SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., T. JACKSON. Oily and Paper-wrapped\$500 to \$615 Sales: -30 chests Bengal. The French Contract Packet Melbourns will three, five, or seven years. Who have consigned their Brands to our care Agents. be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the sth Hongkong, 1st August, 1895. Gas and Water laid on. Hongkong, 12th June, 1897. for over half a century. . [1526] . instant, with Muils to the United Kingdom Apply to G. C. ANDERSON. of the Fatskan, which together ran into something like \$20,000. The rest of the expendi-Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles, MOSSIS JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., H. L. DENNYS C TOCKHAUSEN THE WEATHER ture was for ordinally repairs incidental to the W. BREWER & CO. to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Bainvis, Bur-Crown Schicitor's Office, Hongkong, And to their friends in Shanghai. usual annual overhands. With these few remah, Caylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, ____ Queen's Road. marks, gertlemen, I would propose the adon-CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL DRAPER, MILLINER, DRESS AND MANTLE Hongkong, 27th July, 1897. Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and tion of the report and accounts, but before NEW BOOKS AND NEW EDITIONS. REGISTER, 30th JULY, AT 4 P.M. TAPIER JOHNSTONE'S Gibraltar. doing so I shall be pleased to answer, to the BOARD AND RESIDENCE. 28, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. 200 . M - Posting of Prices Current and Cir-Hurley's New Jubilee Book of Hongkong best of my ability, any questions which may colara ceases. suggest themselves to shareholders. -60 Vlews ... MOMFORTABLY FURNISHED SQUARE BOTTLE WHISK! LATEST NOVELTIES Siam, by Maxwell Sommerville 10.00 A.M. Registry ceases, STATION. No questions were asked, and the CHAIRMAN ROOMS, with Board. 10.30 A.M.—Posting of newspapers, books, and Tarantula (Valse), by W. G. Bentley A Story Teller's Pack, by F. R. Stockton · Apply to Mrs. MATHER, moved the adoption of the report and the pass-LONDON and PARIS. patierna cesses. The sale of this good Scotch increases month 2, Peddar's Hill. Hongkoug, 3rd September, 1896. 1524 ing of the accounts. by month; it is of Superb Quality and of CUTLES, PALMER & Co.'s SELECTION. Illgotten Gold, by Tarbitt Hongkong, 1st January, 1892. Capt. THIBIT seconded. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES Wladivostock. Bob Covington, by Gunter WILLIAM LYSAUGHT & SONS. TORIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE Tokyo PACKET. A Frisky Matron, by Percy Lysle... Not so Bad After All, by Nat Gould Sole Agents for it-On the motion of Mr. J. E. Michael, WANCHAL MACHINERY GODOWNS AND EN-The United States Mail Packet City of de Rio TANE CRAWFORD & Co. seconded by Hon. J. J. Bell Irving the re-Janeiro will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, GINEERING ESTABLISHMENT. Nugasaki Mrs. GILLANDERS. Railway Engineering, Mechanical and tiring Directors (Hon, E. R. Beillies and Mr. 37) Hongkong. 4th instant, with, Mails for Shanghai, Japan 1 to 8, Cross Lane, Wanchai. GLENEALY BUILDINGS. Electrical, by Haldane Chemical Analysis "Qualitative," by Fre-29.57 F. A. Gomes) were re-elected. Gntzlaff and San Francisco, the United States, Canada. Hongkong, 9th January, 11 6. CARTRIDGES The auditors, Mesars, A. O'D. Gourdin and Sharp Peak ... 29.56 85 ESE 2 Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will ba closed as LARGE STOCK OF MACHINERY F. Henderson, were re-elected on the motion Amoy 29.50 Swatow 29.56 by the best English makers, always on BILLIARDS The Dynamo, by Hawkins and Willis ... NOBEL'S SPORTING BALLISTITE of Mr. Coz, seconded by Hop. J. J. Bellhand, such as Steam Steering Gear, Steam 10.00 A.M. Registry ceases. Capton 20.55 94 68 sw 1 c Japan and the Pacific Absolutely Smokeless and Water-resisting 11.00 A.M. Post Office closes, but Correspon-Irving. 3.50 Winches, Steam Capstans, Steam Pumps, DURROUGHES & WATTS' REVISED Hongkong ... 29.58 88 70 , sw 1 c Bright Colestials The CHAIRMAN that is all the business, dence may be posted on board the Packet THE BEST NITEO-POWDER IN THE WORLD. 7.00 Steam Donkey Pumps. Hydraulio Presses, PRICE LIST of BILLIARD Reed's Engineer's Hand-Book ... gentlemen. I thank you for your attendance. with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage Sugar Mills, Marine Boilers and Engines, TABLES and BILLIARD ROOM RE-29.57 Great Commanders of Modern Times, by Gan Rock ... Divid and warrants will be issued on Tuesday PRICE OF 12-BORE CARTELOGES :-Macao 29.58 90 Halphong ... 29.59 91 until the time of departure. 7.00 Stationary Boilers and Driving Engines, Steel QUISITES can be had at the Office of the O'Connor Morris Looded with Wish Powder 2.50 Boiler Plates, Pig Iron, etc., etc. Hongkong Daily Press, Gow's Marine Insurance ... Powder only. and I oz. of Shot. MAILS BY THE CANADIAN Bolingo 2973 87 We are now prepared to execute orders for Hongkong, 4th May, 1897. Pen and Pencil in Parliament, by H. 29.76 88 72 Waw 3 c NEWS VIA AMERICA. Primrose Cases ...\$5.65 \$7.40 the building or repairing of all kinds PACKET. Manila The Heart of a Continent, by Captain The Canadian Mail Packet Empress JAPAN FINE ART OUBIOS Cape S. James machinery with quick despatch and good work-China will be despatched on WEDNESDAY. The following telegrams are from Tacoma Fjector Brass Cases. 6.90 manship. Enquiries solicited for any of the - Younghusband the 11th inst., with Mails for Shanghai, Naga-5% discount on orders of 1,000 and over. Wladivostock. 29.89 | 65 | 92 | 8E | 2] C above or the complete plant of any kind of QUEEN'S ROAD, Under HONGKONG HOTEL. [24 KUHN & KOMOR, saki, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria and Vancouver. CURRENCY REFORM IN AMERICA. Apply to B.C., which will be closed as follows: WM SCHMIDT & Co., W. LYSAUGHT, Chicago, 26th June. R. J. REMEDIOS. 10.00 A.M. Registry ceases. 10.45 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondent Nagasaki Kagoshima ... A special to the Times-Herald from Washing-139, Wanchai Road. Gunmakers. HONGKONG YOKOHAMA KOBE. THOREIGN AND COLONIAL STAMP Hongkong, 28th May, 1897. Hongkong. The currency referm is to be the chief -Gutzlaff 29.68 may be posted on board the Packet with DEALER. Sharp Peak ... 2962 85 78 E 2 h Hongkong, 27th July, 1697. No. 3, WOODLAND TERRACE, HONGKONG, Late Fee of 10 cents extra Pestage until business of congress next winter. President SIAM TEAK TIMBER. Will be glad to send STAMPS on approval the time of departure. WORTH A GUINEA A BOX. McKinley has decided fully that he will not SANG & CO., to any address on receipt of satisfactory refer-Ewatow.... send to congress at this session a message sur-29.58 80 88 BW I o COAL MERCHANTS. THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED ORTLAND CEMENT gesting the oreation of ourroney commission, as BEECHAM'S PILLS Is also prepared to purchase used POSTAGE have always on hand Hongkong Victoria Peak. BANGKOK. he had intended to a short time since. Instead LARGE STOCKS OF EVERY DESCRIP-STANCE in Large or Small Quantities for Cash. J. B WHITE & BROS. of a commission to investigate the subject and RDERS can be Booked and Rates Supplied TION OF COAL Gap Bock ... report to congress, an administration bill is to BILIOUS AND NERVOUS DISORDERS AGENTS WANTED. Address :- Care of Mesors, Kwang Sang & Co. 29.61 on Application to the Undersigned for :-Liberal Discount Allowed. be drawn and presented to courress next 85 76 SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA. 28.50 Haiphong ... TEAE SQUARES, PLANES, SCANTLINGS, AND No. 68, PRATA. ANNUAL SALE SIX MILLION BOXES. HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO. YARBOLINEUM-AVENARIUS The 1s, 11d. Box contains 56 Pills. H. F. CARMICHAEL. There will be made provision for a safe and Hougkong, 11th April, 1883 PLANED, TONGUED, AND GROOVED TEAK USED FOR 16 YEARS. Price 50 Cents olastic currency on some plan similar to CONSULTING ENGINEER AND Cape S. James. & SON'S AVID CORSAR On the Sieb at 11.30 a.m. The depression lying between the E coast of China and W. Japan yesterday, appears to be moving Northwards in the Yellow Sea. Except inclined to rise on the E. coast of China, the baremoter has fallen generally. Pressure is considerably below the normal over China and moderately low in Lucon. Forecast:—Moderate and fresh SW. winds; showery, fine intervals. that employed by Canada, or that recommended BOARDS. SURVEYOR. Thoroughly reliable preservative for Wood in what is known as the Baltimore plan. The MERCHANT NAVY Prepared only by the Proprietor :-THAR SHINGIES. and Stone against White Ants, Decay, Fungus 18. PRAYA CENTRAL GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO. CHOMAS BEBCHAM, St. Helens, ENGLAND, gold reserve will be protected as other nations NAVY BOILED CANVAB SOLE AGENTS for Hongkons and the Hongkong, 17th July, 1895. Rot, and Dampness. LONG FLAX protect their bullion reserves, by destroying Sols Agents for China, TAESIGNS and SPECIFICATIONS for BOMBAY BURMAH TRADING CORPORATION, LIMITED. EMPIRE of CHINA .- WATKINS & CO., SCHEELE & CO RELIANCE CROWN the "endless chain." all CLASSES of ENGINEERING 66, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. The vexing problem of what to do with the TARPAULING Hongkong, 25th January, 1892. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO. WORK. DRAWINGS prepared, REPAIRS greenbacks will be met fairly and squarely. It BANGKOK AND RANGOON. HONGROSG ERGISTER enpervised, and SURVEYS undertaken. RADISUI BUSSAN KAISHA is not proposed to retire them summarily, but Sole Agents. SIEN TING. to gradually convert them into other forms of paper money, which will not possess the power day 4 p.m. st 10 s.m. at 4 p.m. Telegrams : " CARMICHAEL," Hongkong. TEAR BOUARES, PLANES, BOARDS and Hot king -st June 1897. AMERICAN SYSTEM SCANTLINGS, PLANED, TONGUED, and GROOVED No. 8. QUEEN'S ROAD, CENTRAL SURGEON DENTIST. to drain the gold reserve whenever exporters BOARDS, FOR FLOORING, CEILING, WALLING, DENTISTRY Barometer No. 10. D'AGUILAL STREET. or foreign bankers wish to do so. All that is FOR SALE Head Office .- Toxio. &c. THAK SHINGLES FOR ROOFING. Direction of wind done on this line will be done gradually and in Branch Offices .- LONDON, NEW YORK, BOM-PINKADOF RAILWAY SLEEPERS for all TERMS VERY MODERATE. BAY, SINGAPORE, SHANGHAL, TIEN-DUINABLE PERE & FILS, REIMSsuch a way that the country will not notice the TSIN, NEWCHWANG, and oll Ports in Rain 270 [746 IV Consulation Free. Rates Supplied and Orders Booked by change. Hongkong, 23rd September, 1891. CHADWICK KEW. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. WILL IRELAND FIGHT? Established 1719. JAPAN. (LATE OF POATE & NOBLE) .-CHAMPAGNE GROWERS AND Hongkoug, Srd May, 1895. London, 27th June. AGENCIES:-Hongkong, 13th July, 1897. A very largely attended indignation meeting Milke Coal Mines SHIPPEBS. GRIMAULT'S Hongkong Observatory, let August, 1897. Ohnoura Coal Mines. Ship only the Finest Quality was held in Phoenix Park to night because the NOTICE: Irish political prisoners had not been released Kanada Coal Mines. Extra Dry (Green Seal). CUN SING LOONG MESSAS. FALCONES CO.'s HEGISTER, Sist July. Barometer 9 A.M., 29.62 Therm. 9 A.M. (Wet bulb) 80 The Milke Cotton Spinning Mill, Ld. as an act of clemency to mark the jubiles. LAUTS, WEGENER & CO. SYRUP have always for SALE a fine assort-FOR BALE High Sheriff O'Reilly, of Dublin presided.
William Field, M.P. for St. Patrick's divi-Tokyo Marino Insurance Co., Limited. Barometer 1 P.M., 29.80 Cherro I P.M. (Wet bulb) 82 Sole Agents. ment of the new season's selected PRE. Maiji Fire Insurance Co., Limited. Hongkong, 17th May, 1895. Barometer 4 P.M. .. Therm. 4 P.M. (Wet bulb) -TORIAN BUTTER ("COW SERVED GINGER and SWEETMEATS OF HYPOPHOSPRITE OF LIME Imperial Government Paper Mills, sion spoke. He said the Irish would call for the Thermom, 9 A.M. .. 85 Therm Maximum FOR SALE. of their well-known Manufacture. Cotton Cleaning and Working Co., voices and, perhaps, the arms of their fellow Phermon. I r.m. .. 88 Therm. Minimum (over-Head Office Hongkone, No. 3, Sai On FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST countrymen in America. England had her Shanghai. in 1 lb., 2 lb., 5 lb., and 10 lb. Tins; Lane. West Point. jubilee in 1897, they would have theirs in 1898; Onoda Cement Company, Japan. in QUANTITIES OF NOT LESS THAN Branch Office : HONAM, Canton. Kanegafuchi Cotton Spinning Mill. HONGKONG LIDE-TABLE YELLOW FEVER IN CUBA. AN HAS. HEIDSIECK'S CHUI CHEW TING. ONE CASE. Tokyo Cotton Spinning Mill, Japan. 2nd to 8th Angust Madrid, 27th June. Smaller Quantities may be obtained at the The original preparation prescribed by the CHAMPAGNE, 1889, WHITE SEAL Manager. Hayashi Clock Fastory A dispatch to the Impercial from Havana TYPING EWANTAL NAMHINGLOONG. LOW WATER. HIGH WATER. Hongkong, 30th April, 1897. ... leading medical authorities FOR CONSUMITION. Hongkong 12th December, 1896. \$39.....per case of I dozon quarts. says that much clarm exists over the great and all the principal Ship's Comprederes, WEAR LUNGS, BRONCHIAL IBRITATION, and increase in sickness. The heat, which is \$35 per case of 2 dozen pints. Houghoug Height, Mong tong, Reight. Market, and Provision shops. terrible, renders the soldiers more susceptible OBSTINATE COUGHS, for the last 30 years GEO. P. LAMMERT. ED. KRESSMANN & CO. S CHAMPAGNE ITALIAN VERMOUTH to attack and militates against recovery. with the greatest success. It coul nues to Sole Agent for Hondkond RED AND WHITE Twenty thousand men have taken to the the Coast of Cuina and Extra Dry, Gold Senl retain its reputation where other medicines have hospitals suffering from yellow fever or dysen-BORDEAUX WINES. the PHILIPPINES. failed.
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S.S. "BAYERN." THE above-named steamer having arrived,	THE Steemship	LONDON Java Brit str. Chellew, E. R. B. P. & Brit atr. Dowell, E. S. R. P. &		FOR NEW YORK WA SUEZ CANAL SS. "GHAZEE" to sall about 11th Aug., 1897. SS. "LENNOX" 22nd Aug., 1897.	A. R. Marty Arratoon Apear British sir., 1,302, Sundberg. Aug. 1, Da.id Sassoon, Sons & Co
Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of that	on or about MONDAY, the 2nd inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,	LONDON VIA SUEZ CARAL Glongarry Brit. str. Forguson Jard LONDON & LIV. PROOL, &c. Chingwo Brit. str. Herris Holl LONDON VIA SUEZ CAWAL Britary Brit. Wollowe Gibl	tterfield & Swire To day. dine, Matheson & Co. On or about 2ad inst. lliday, Wise & Co To morrow, at 5 P.M. b. Livingston & Co Quick despatch.	A benta Constant	Disagrno. Italian etc., 1,499; Manoinibi, July 27 Carlowitz & Co Bravings, British etc., 2,315, Portor, July 29, Dodwell, Carlili & Co
Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Optional cargo will go on to Shanghal unless	Hongkong, 17th July, 1897. [1654] AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVI-	MARSEILLES VIA SLIGON, ETC. Melbpurner Front Str. Duchateau Men STRAITS BOMBAY & GENOA Bisagno Ita etc. Manoini Carl	lohots & Co	FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.	Chingky, British str., 1,495, Innes, July 26, Entterfield & Swire Chiyuen, Chinese steamer, 1,174, Null, July 27, C. M. S. N. Co
notice to the contrary be given before Noon. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 2nd August, will be sub-		SAN FRANCISCO VIA SHANGHAI Gaelie Brit. str. Whistler, R.H.B. Dod: SAN FRANCISCO VIA S'HAY &c. City of Poking Amer. str. P. M.	Woll, Carlill & Co On 17th inst. at Noon. & O. S. S. Co On 14th inst. at Noon. On 24th inst. at Noon. On 24th inst. at Noon. wan, Tomss & Co Quick despatch.	FORTUNA." will be desputched as above on or about 14th	Chusan, German steamer, 624, Wendt, Aug. 1, Siemssen & Co City of Rio de Janeiro, Amr. str., 3,159, Ward, July 27, P. M. S. S. Co
ject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Thursday, the 5th August, and	YOKOHAMA. 7 THE Company's Steamship	SEATTLE, W'INGTON, V. KOBB, &c. Kagoshima Mara Jap. str. Thompson Nipp PORTLAND, Oc., &c., v. Y'HAMA Monmouthshire Brit. str. Show SOUTH AFRICA DIRECT Congolo Brit. str. Dody	pon Yusen Kaisha On 12th inst., at Noon. wan, Tomes & Co On 7th inst. lwell, Carlill & Co On or about 17th inst.	SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., Ageits.	Cluden, Pritish str., 2,035, Anderson, July 28, P. M. S. S. Co Cosmopolit, German str., 575, Fets, July 30,
Monday, the 9th August, at 9.30 A.M. All Claims must reach as before the 10th	Captain A. Leva, will leave for the above places TO-MORROW, the 3rd inst.	NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL Ghazee Brit, str. Dody NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL Benalder Beit, str. Thomson Gibb	wall, Carlill & Co On or about 11th inst. wan, Tomes & Co On or about 14th inst. b, Livingston & Co Quick despatch.	NORTHERN PACIFIC	Dante, German steamer, 1,302, Kopke, July 28, Chinese Della, German str., 3,200, Christianson, July 28, Siemssen & Co
MELCHERS & CO., Agents.	Hongkong, 28th July, 1897. [5	SYDNEY MELBOURNE, 40 Chington Brit. str. Innes Butt S'PORE, HAVRE, & HAMBURG Dolla Ger. str. Christianson Siem S'PORE, Colombo, & Bondax Milko Maru Jap. str. Going Nipp	nsson & Co. On 6th instruct 5 P.M. On 6th instruct 5 P.M. To-morrow, at Noon.	STEAMSHIP AND RAILWAY COMPANIES. VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN	Futsban, British str., 1,425, J. Dick, H. C., & M. Steamboat Co., for Canton Fushin, Chinese steamer, 1,504, Lunt, Aug. 1,
Hongkong, 27th July, 1897. [7] THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVI- GATION CO., LIMITED.	JAPAN-BOMBAY LINE.	YOKOHAMA & KOBE Phranang Brit. str. Bishop Butt KOBE & YOKOHAMA Braemar Brit. str. Porter Dody	lweil, Carlill & Co On 7th inst., at Noon.	THE attention of passengers is directed to the very cheap raids offered by this Line to the Paciete Coast and to the Interior and Eastern Cities of the United States and	Glengarry, Brit. str., 1,902, Ferguson, July 30, Jardine, Matheson & Co Haifan, British steamer, 1,183, Roach, Aug. 1.
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM NEWPORT, GLASGOW, LIVER- POOL, AND SINGAPORE.	MONTHLY SERVICE. (Under Mail Contract.)	SHANGHAI, Kobe & Y'hama Baghalien Fren. str. Mess SHANGHAI Woosung Brit. str. Clegg Butt SHANGHAI Rosetta Brit. Tillard P. &	der & Co. To morrow. Superies Maritimes. On or about 3rd inst. terfield & Swire On the inst. at 2 p.m. KO. S. N. Co. On or about 6th inst.	CANADA and to EUROPE. HONGKONG TO LONDON \$450. Excellent accommodation. First class Table.	Douglas Lapraik & Co Hankow, British str., 2,235, C. V. Lloyd, Butterfield & Swire, for Canton Hedngshub, British str., 1,054, W. E. Clarke,
THE Company's Steamship	FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, AND BOMBAY. FILE Company's Steamship	PIENTSIN Kweiyang Brit atr. Onterhrigo Batt SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW Haitan Brit str. Roach Doug	To day, at 2 P.M. Ighas Lupraik & Co. On 4th inst., at Noon. VESSELS ON THE BERTH.	The Railroad travelling is second to none on	H., C., & M. Steamboat Co., for Macao Hikosan Manu, Jap. str., 2,269, Hallstrom, July 31, Nippon Yusen Kaisha Honam, British str., 1,344, S. W. Goggin, H.,
of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods	"MIKE MARU," Captain P. H. Going, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the 3rd inst.,		THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.	of the ROCKY and CASCADE MOUNTAINS.	C. & M. Steambost Co., for Canton Kweiyang, Brit. str., 1,060, Onterbridge, July 26, British str., 1,015, Jackson, July 28,
may be obtained. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the office of the undersigned before	For Freight or Passage, apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Hongkong, 27th July, 1897. [1731]	FOR STRAMERS TO SAIL ON REMARKS.	STEAM FOR STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS,	HONGKONG TO TACOMA \$275. Rates of Passage to other Points on application. Special rates allowed to members of Goternment Services.	Butterfield & Swiro Methyon Castle, Brit. etc., 1,719, Hill, June 25, Dodwell, Carrill & Co Milko Maru, Jap. etc., 2,083, Going, Aug. 1,
Noon on the 3rd Aug., or they will not be re- cognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Golowas, where they will be	SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.	LONDON	PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON. "HROUGH BUILD OF LADING ISSUED YOR	Proposed Sailings from Hongrong. (Subject to Alteration).	Nippon Yusen Kaisha Monmouthshire, Brit. str., 1,871. Evans, July 27. Shewan, Tomes & Co Mount Lebannon, Brit. str., 1,555, McLican, July
at 3 P.M. No. Fire Insurance has been effected, and		SHANGHAI	BATAVIA, PEESIAN GULF, CONTINENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS. THE Steamship	VICTORIA 2,549 Tuesday Ang. 17 VICTORIA 3,167 Tuesday Sept. 7 OLYMPIA 2,608 Tuesday Sept. 28	18. Dodwell, Carlill & Co Paoting: British steamer, 1,100, Gyles, Aug. 1, Butterfield & Swire Phra Nang, British str., 1,021, Watten, July 25,
3rd August will be subject to rent. Optional earge will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 P.M.	TO-MORROW, the 3rd inst., at 2 r.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to. BUTTERF(ELD & SWIRE,	NAGASAKI & KOBE E. S. Bishop August through the Inland Sea) LONDON, &C	Captain E. R. Dowell, R. N.R., correing Har	Victoria Series 1821/01/2018 1 Nac 20	Yuen Fat Hong Sibine Rickmers, Ger. str., 598, Sanders, July
To-DAY. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO., Agents. Honokong 27th July 1897.	Hongkong, 29th July, 1897. [1753] CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.	YOKOHAMA, VIA NA. { VERONA	August, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports. This steamer connects at Bombay with the S.S. "ROME" leaving that Port on the Scd Santamber for	TACOMA Captain Whistler, B.N.E. sailing at NOON, on	Horling, Buschmann & Menzell Tritos, German steamer, 1,300, Dinse, July 28, Chinese Petrarch, German str., 1,252, Schall, July 29,
ITALIANA.	FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY, AND MEL- BOURNE.	LONDON Preight or Passage.	London direct. Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tea for Loudon (ander arrangement) will be	VICTORIA (B.C.), and TACOMA (Wash).	Widler & Co Victoria, Swedish str., 989, Hellberg, July 29, MB. Kaisha
(Florio and Rubattino United Companies.) NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM BOMBAY AND SINGAPORE.	"CHINGTU"	Hongkong, 31st July, 1897. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COY.'S	ceeding direct to Marsoilles and London; other cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed via Hombay.	Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. Consular Involves of Goods for United States	Jardine, Motheson & Co Woosing, British str., 1,109, Clegg, July 27, Butterfield & Swire
BISAGNO having arrived from the above ports, Consigness	ROW, the 10th inst., at 3 P.M. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by	ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE. THE FAST ROUTE BETWEEN CHINA, JAPAN AND EUROPE, VIA CANADA	4 P.M. the day before sailing. The Contents and Value of all Packages are required. Shippers are particularly requested to note	must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of the Freight Agent, Northern Pacific Rullway, Tacoma, Wash.	Lauts, Wegener & Co
of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowlcon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, whence delivery	forward of the Engines. A Refrigerating humber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage.	AND THE UNITED STATES. CALLING AT AMOY, SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA AND VICTORIA, B.C.	H. A. RITCHIE,	For further information as to Passage or	Order Gov. Robis, Amr. ship, 1,627, Nichols, July 5, Archold, Karbarg & Co.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be	N.B.—Return Tickets issued by this Com- pany to and from Australia are available for	SAFETY. SPEED. PUNCTUALITY. Twin Screw Steamships—6,000 Tons—10,000 Horse-Power—Speed 19 knots	Hongkong, 30th July, 1897. Superintendent. NIPPON TUSEN KAISHA.	General Agents	July 6, Standard Cil Co Landseer, Amr. ship, 1,348, Stahl, April 12, Dodwell, Carlill & Co Lucy A. Nickels, Amr. ship, 1,380, Nickels, May
Noon on the 3rd August, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected and any	return by the steamers of the Eastern and	PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.) EMPRESS OF CHINAComdr. R. Archibald. B.N.RWEDNESDAY, 11th Aug., 1897	TRANS-PACIFIC LINE.	U.S. MAIL LINE.	21 Standard Oil Co Serrano Amr. bark, 613 Waterhouse, July 10, Gibb. Livingston & Co Sierra Nevada, British ship, 1,400, Scott, July
August will be subject to rent.	Hongkong, 28th July, 1897. [1747] THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVI-	EMPRESS OF INDIA. Comdr. O. P. Marshall, B.N.RWEDNESDAY, 1st Sept., 1897 EMPRESS OF JAPAN Comdr. H. Pybus, E.N.RWEDNESDAY, 29th Sept., 1897	FOR SEATTLE, WASHINGTON, VIA	PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP - COMPANY.	30 P. & O. S. N. Co Spinaway, British sch., 327, Johnson, July 21, Order West York, British bark, 688, Davis, Oct. 18,
Hongkong, 28th July, 1897. [6 NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP	GATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON AND LIVERPOOL VIA STRAITS AND USUAL	THE magnifleent TWIN-SCREW STEAMSHIPS of this Line pass through the famous INLAND SEA of JAPAN, and usually make the voyage YOKOHAMA to VAN-COUVER in 12 DAYS, saving THREE DAYS to a WEEK in the Trans-Pacific journey (avoiding the rough passages generally experienced in the latitudes further South) and make	(Through Passenger Tickets and Bills of Lading issued for the principal Cities in the UNITED STATES, CANADA, and EUROPE, in connection with the Great Northern Railway	VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU	Order Willkommen: Ger. ship, 1,635, Freery, July 17, Carlowitz & Co KOSE
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	PORTS OF CALL. (Taking Cargo at through rates for Glasgow, CONTINENTAL PORTS, RIVER PLATE, &c.) THE Company's Steamship.	The state of the s	THE Company's Stoamship "KAGOSHIMA MARU."	PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. CITY OF PERING (via) Shanghat, Nagasaki, Tuesday, Ang. 24, Kobe, Lyland Sec. Yo. (1897, at Noon.)	In Port on 23rd July, 1897. Akashi Maru, Japanese steamer, 856, July 16, Osaka Shosen Kaisha Benalder, British str., 1,958, Thomson, July 14,
	CHINGWO." Captain H. Harris, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 3rd inst., at 5 P.M.	Lines, which passengers to Great Britain and the Continent are given choice of.	Consular Invoices of Goods for the United	kohari, & Henelulu) Crana (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, In. Saruedar, Sept. 11,	Cornes & Co. Benlarig, British str., 1,453, Wallace, July 20,
HE above Steamer having arrived, Consigness of Cargo are hereby, requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their	For Freight, &c., apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO., Agents. Hongkong, 28th July, 1897.	Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of China and Japan Governments: The attractive features of this Company's route embrace its PALATIAL STEAMSHIPS (second to none in the World), the LUXURIANCE OF ITS TRANS-CONTINENTAL	States should be in QUADRUPLICATE, and one Copy must be mailed by the steamer to the cure of the Freight Agent, Great Northern Railway, Scattle, Wash.	hams) Leru (vie Shanghai,) Naccasaki Koba In Trunspay Sent	July 19, Standard Oil Co Bjorg, Norwegian str., 588, Nielsen, July 17.
Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.		TRAINS (the Company having received the highest award for same at recent Chicago World's Exhibition), and the diversity of MAGNIFICENT MOUNTAIN AND LAKE SCENERY. through which the Railway passes. THE DINING CARS and MOUNTAIN HOTELS of this route are owned and operated	For Freight or Passage, apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Hongkorg, 29th July, 1897. [1754]	and Honolulu)	Captain Chinyetan Marg. Jap. str., 987, Toyoshima, May
DODWELL, CARLILL & CO., Agents. Hongkong, 29th July, 1897. MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS.	TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN. THE UNITED STATES.	by the Company, and their appointments and Cuisine are unexcelled. For further information, Maps, Guide Books, Rates of Passage, &c., apply to D. E. BROWN, General Agent,	NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.	PEKING will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, VIL SHANGHAL, NAGA-SAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKO-HAMA and HUNOLULU, on TUESDAY,	
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE, VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS AND ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING	Hongkong, 22nd July, 1897 C. P. R. SUMMER TRIPS.		Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.	
FROM NEW YORK AND STRAITS. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed	VIA_INLAND_SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.	SPECIAL ROUND TRIP RATES TO JAPAN, VANCOUVER, AND BANFF. Commencing 1st May, and continuing through the Summer, Return Tickets can be purchased to Banff, including Berth in Sleeping Car, and Meals on the Railway journey from	PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS	LAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONO: LULU, and passengers are allowed to break their	Osaka Shosen Kaisha Jaya, British steamar, 3,632, Chollew, July 20, P. & O. Co Jinsen Maru, Jap. str. 1,411, Nakajima, July
kong and Kowicon Wharf and Godown Com- pany, at Kowicon, whence and/or from the	Proposed Sailings from Honorone.	Vencouver, at the equivalent of £32. The Ports of Call are SHAKGHAL NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA, B.C., and VANCOUVER, and permission is granted to STOP-OVER at any Port and continue by a subsequent Steamer. Every facility is offered for breaking the journey at any intermediate places in British Columbia to make excursions.	LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL- TIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN		15, Nippon Yusen Kaisha Kagoshima Maru, Jap. str., 2,652, Barnes, July 20, N. Y. Kaisha
Wharves delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 6th Aug. will be subject to rent.	hama) Donc (via Shanghai.)	into the Rocky Mountains. BANFF.—This popular resort, charmingly situated amongst the Peak and Glaciers of the Rocky Mountains, in the Canadian National Park, is justly celebrated for its natural Hot Sulphur and Mineral Springs, magnificent scenery, and clear, invigorating air. The large and	THE COMPANY'S STRAYERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.	the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on application. Passengers holding through ORDERS TO	Kawachi Maru, Jap. otyl. 6 150, Thompson, July 19. N. Y. Kaisha Kobe Maru, Jap. str., 1,645, Swain, July 21, Nippon Yusen Kaisha Kuho Maru, Jap. str., 1,164, Yasuno, July 6,
All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 6th August, or they will not be recognised.	Nagasaki, Kobe, In THURSDAY, Sept. land Sea, Yokohama, 2, 1897, at Noon, and Honolulu)	well-appointed Hotel stands 4500 feet above see level, providing its guests with all modern conforts and luxuries, also a steam-hunch, rowing boats and cances for making excursions on the river and numerous lakes in the vicinity, where excellent fishing and shooting is obtainable.	N.B.—CARGO CAN HE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES IN RUSSIA.	EUROPE have the choice of Overland Rail contes from San Francisco, including the Southern Pacific, Central Pacific, Union Pacific, Denvise and Rio Grands,	Kuho Marn, Jap. str. 1,164, 1 asuno. July 0, Nippon Yusen Kaisha Lady Wentworth British back, 2,500, Murchie, July 22, N. Y. Kaisha Lehnor, British str. 2,381, Williamson, July 20,
be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 6th August, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading-will be countersigned by	Nagasaki, Kobe, In Tunsbay, Sept. 21, land Sea, Yokohama, 1897, at Noon.	VESSELS ON THE BERTH VESSELS ON THE BERTH COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE	(Suprement and Armston average)	and Northben Pacific Railways; also the Canadian Pacific Ballway on poyment of 24 in edilition to the regular tariff rate.	Dodwell Carbil & Co Mazagon, British str. 3,278, Andrews, July 21, P & O. Co
DODWELL, CARLILL & CO., Agents. Hengkong, Sist July, 1897. [1768]	THE Company's Steamship "GAELIC" willbadispatched for SAN FRANCISCO,	PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. (Florio and Rubattino United Companies.)	PRINZ HEINEICH Tuesday 14th Sep. PREUSSEN Tuesday 12th Oct. SACHREN Tuesday 9th Nov.	LAND CITIES in the United States have, between San Francisco and Chicago, the option of the Southern Pacific, Central Pacific,	29. Dodwell, Carlill & Co
CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer	via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, IN- LAND SEA, and YOKOHAMA on SATUR DAY, the 24th July, 1897, at Noon.	NOTICE: STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, BONBAY, AND GENOA, SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLONDO PONDICHERY MADRAS. (Without Transhipment).	PRINZ HEINRICH Tuesday 7th Dec. PRINZ HEINRICH Tuesday 4th Jau.	and other direct counterting Railways, and from Chicago to destination the choice of direct lines: Particulars of the various routes can be bud.	Olaru Maru, Jap. str., 1,507; Poole, July 17, Nippon Yusen Kuisha R. D. Rice, Amr. ship, 2,106; Carver, June 19, Delacamp & Co Ronco Rickmans, Gay 4-m. bark, 2,064; Schultz.
	Steamers of this line pass through the IN- LAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONO- LULU and passengers are allowed to break	CALCUTTA, DJIBOUTI, EGYPT, MARSEILLES, MEDITER- RANEAN AND BLACK SEA baving connexion with Company's Mail Steamers to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, LEGHORN, also VENICE and TRIESTE, all MEDI-	BAYERN," Captoin E. Prehu, with MAILS. PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above. Calling at Naples	Special rates (first class only) are granted to	July 7. Stendard Oil Co Reuce, American ship, 1,828, Adams, July 5.
lie at Consignees risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 2nd August. Goods undelivered after the 9th Aug. will	their journey at any point on voute. Through Passenger Tiokets granted to England. France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic	LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX, PORTS OF BRAZIL AND RIVER PLATE. N WEDNESDAY, the 4th August, at PORTS up to CALLAO.	shipping Orders will be granted till, Noon on Saturday, the 14th August, Cargo and Specie will be received on Board antil 5 P.M. on	officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families. Through Bills of Lading Issued for trans-	July 9. Stendard Oil Co Servin, Amr. ship. Gilmore, May 11, Standard Oil Co
be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at II A. R. on the 10th August.	lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates and parti- culars of the various Routes may be obtained	"MELBOURNE," Captain Duchateau, with Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this Port for MARSEILLES via ports of call, and MALAGA.	MONDAY, the 16th August, and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until NOON on MONDAY, the 16th August. Contents of	portation to Yokohama and other Japan Porta to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities	18, Nippon Yusen Kaisha Soya Marn, Jap. str., I.136, Higo, June 30. Nippon Yusen Kaisha
Hongkoug, Slat July, 1897. [1759	upon application.	Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in "BISAGNO."	be signed for less than \$2.50 and Parcels should	in Mexico, Central and South America, by the	Strathallan, Brit. str., 1,488, Macoubrey, July 15, W. M. Strachan & Co Talsen Maru, Jap. str., 1,804, Kato, June 25, Nippon Yusan Kaisha
OCEÁN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to	Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, At Boursat the Steamers are discharging in Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. VICTORIA BOCK. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 3rd For further particulars regarding Freight	Idnen can be weeked on beard. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & CO.,	the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5-2 as same day all Parcel Packages slight be marked to	Nippen Yosen Kaisha Wanterer British 4-m bark, 2,801, Tupman:
PRIAN."	Passengers who have paid full fare, re-émbark- ing at San Francisco for China or Japan (or	For inviner Particulars, apply at the Com. Longkong, Zoth July, 1934	FUE SAN FIGARCISCO	tined to points beyond San Francisco in the	In Port on 21st July, 1897
TO-DAY the 2nd inst For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,	count of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.	Hongkong, 23rd July, 1897.	THE 100 A.I. British Bark "HEATHBANK," McKechnie Master, shortly expected, will load	Office in Scalor Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.	Ariake Maru, Jap str. 1,396, Asai, May 8, Nippon Yusen Kuisha Arracan, Hritish ship, 2,222, Donaid, July 19,
		TION COMPANY'S PACIFIC WOOBUNG,"	here for the above port and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.	Freight apply to the Agency of the Company	Sequel Samuel & Ce Ed O'Brien, Amr. ship, 2,157, Oliver, Mar. 13, Standard Oll Co
FOR TIENTSIN FIRE Company's Steamship	vious to sailing. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-	Captain Clegg, will be despatched as above on CHINA AND JAPAN. WEDNESDAY, the 4th inst. at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTER STELD & SWARE	Hongkoog, 17th June: 1897. [1413] "BEN." LINE OF STEAMERS.	Hongkong Blet July, 1897	Ernest Simons, Fr. str. 2,640, Manbeuge, July I. W. D. Co Frey Norwegian at., 1,948, Bentzew, July 7, France & Co
Captain Onterbridge, will be despatched as above TO-DAY, the 2nd inst. at 2 r.m.	tined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to the Collector of Customs,	MONMOUTHSHIEE Saturday 7th Aug. Hougkong, 30th July, 1897. [1763] TAKING PASSENGERS AND CARGO FOR UNITED MATERIAL TIME CONTROLS.	FOR LONDON VIA BUEZ CANAL THE Steamship "BENLARIG"	THE 100 A.I. American Ship LANDSEER	Glenavon Exclish siz. 1936. Norman, July 21, Tardine, Mintheson & Co Glenshiel, British siz. 2,240, Jones, July 18, PM Co
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agonts Bongkong, 29th July, 1897, [1722]	For further information as to Freight or Fassage apply to the Agency of the Company,	STATES AND CANADA AT THROUGH RATES. THE Steamship "MONMOUTHSHIEE" NATAL LINE OF STEAMERS. FOOCHOW AND HONGKONG TO SOUTH AFRICA (DIRECT).	Captain Wallace, is due there on or about 18th August and will have quick despatch. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB LIVINGSTON & CO.	For Freight, apply to SIEMSSEN & CO.	Harmes, Norwegian str., 860, Jensen, July 20, Simon, Evers & Co John McDonald, Americhip, 2,172, Storer, April II, Standard Cil Co
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FHANCAIS	No. 7. Prava Central	will be despatched hence for PORTLAND, OREGON, and VICTORIA, via KOBE 1855 For NATAL, EAST LONDON, ALOUE BAY, YOKORAMA, on SATURDAY, the 7th Mossel, Bay, and Cars Town, August. (Taking Cargo under through Bills of Luding	Hongkong, 27th July, 1897. [1737]		Kriomhild, Ger. str., 1,870, Bermann, July-14, Himon, Livers & Co Malacon, British str., 4,045, Pollock, July 14, P. & O. Co
	Hongkoug, 26th July 1897. [4] FOR NEW YORK VIA SHEZ CANAL. 751HE Steamship	Consular Invoices of Goods for United States to DELAGOA BAT and Burna.) Points should be in Quanturizonte, and THE Statuship one Copy must be sent forward by the Steamer to the care of the General Feriour Adent. "CONGELLA."	FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL	DANQUIRE where your FRESH WATER Is obtained by the Water Boats, as Found WATER is the cause of much Sickness on board Skip.	Monkharns, British ship, 1.77], Atkinson, June J. Standard Oil Co Salvadora, Spanish str., 188; Fequirel, July 21, Browne & Co
SAGHATIEN," will be despetched for the above Ports on or abbet TUESDAY, the 3rd inst. For Preight or Passage, apply to	* FREY, will be despatched as above about 15th inst. For Freight, apply to	Oregon Railway and Navigation Co., Portland, will be despatalled for the above on or about the Oregon. 17th inst. This steemed left Durbag on the For further information at to Passage and 2nd July, for Foothew Direct. Freight, apply to. From Freight or Passage apply to		in Hoyakove EXCLUSIVELY supplying	St. John American Mile, 1703; Felts, July 7. St. Honeld, British ett., 1985; Clembet, July 17. M. B. Ratena
G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agont Hopgkong, 22th July, 1837	MELCHERS & CO. Agents Hongroug 32nd July 1897 1987	SHEWAN, TOMES & CO. DODWELL CARLILL & CO. Agents. Ronghous, 20th July, 1897. 1621 Houghous, 28th July, 1897. 1535.	GIBB. LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents Hongkong, 27th July, 1891. 1788	T. W. KEW & CO.	Panien and Publisher by I. Wanten Suirm at